

Issues/Programs Quarterly Report
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CONSUMER

2:00 01/02/2012 5PM

Fish Oil Supplements

Who wouldn't want to take a simple step to reduce the risk of a heart attack or stroke? Fish oil supplements make that claim. And more and more people are buying into it. But do the supplements contain what's promised? Sales are setting records so Consumer Reports shows you what you really get for your money.

2:00 01/03/2012 5:30PM

Best Pedometers

A new year means new energy for resolutions. One of the top ones made year after year is losing weight! Exercise is key and pedometers can help. Five On Your Side's Monica Laliberte helps you figure out which one to buy.

3:00 01/05/2012 5PM

Light Bulbs

As of January 1st, the 100-watt incandescent bulb was history. It's the first bulb phased out under new government regulations. So what's the best alternative? Five On Your Side's Monica Laliberte shares some options.

2:00 01/09/2012 5PM

Gym Membership

This time of year, gyms rival department stores with advertised sales. Gyms offer bargains on your monthly membership and no sign-up fees. However, before you say 'yes', we have suggestions for what to consider first.

2:00 01/10/2012 5PM

Reduce Credit Card Debt

The start of a new year is a good time to look at your financial fitness. One good place to start is getting rid of credit card debt. Five On Your Side's Monica Laliberte has some advice on how to make that happen.

2:00 01/10/2012 5:30PM

Consumer Electronics Show

The annual Consumer Electronics show in Las Vegas highlights the latest and greatest gadgets and technology. Five On Your Side's Monica Laliberte shows us some of the highlights.

2:00 01/11/2012 5:30PM

Wal-Mart Text Scam

A shopping spree at Wal-Mart, a gift card for Best Buy sounds great, right? Lots of people are buzzing online about text messages and e-mails they received promising these things. But it's all a scam! Five On Your Side's Monica Laliberte is here with the warning.

2:15 01/12/2012 5PM

Do It Yourself Wills

It's not something you want to think about, but need to. Do you have a will? More than half us of do not have one. A big reason is the cost to hire an attorney to help you. Five On Your Side's Monica Laliberte show us a less expensive way and looks at whether it's worth it.

2:10 01/13/2012 5PM

Restaurants

Our weekly restaurant report looks at the low scoring restaurants in the viewing area, revealing what inspectors found in the kitchen.

2:00 01/16/2012 5PM

Immersion Blenders

Many of us have at least a couple of cool, go-to kitchen tools. Professional chefs all mention one thing they can't live without. Five On Your Side's Monica Laliberte shows us what it is.

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Gift Card Options If you had cash in your pocket, you'd either spend it, or save it. You wouldn't just forget about it, right? But many of us do! Americans lose out on billions of dollars every year. Five On Your Side's Monica Laliberte shows us how it happens with gift cards.		
2:00	01/18/2012	5PM
GPS on Smartphone Once you cross over and get a smart phone - the apps can be addictive. One that's becoming more and more popular is the navigation app. For many people, portable GPS devices are out and Smart Phones are in! Five On Your Side's Monica Laliberte has the results of a phone-to-phone comparison.		
3:15	01/19/2012	6PM
Headstone Issues Cape Fear Memorials More than six complaints tied to two gravestone companies. Tonight, WRAL investigates two of the complaints from tearful women in their late 70s who just want peace for their loved ones. The complaints got the attention of Five On Your Side's Monica Laliberte.		
2:00	01/23/2012	6PM
Best Airfares Who isn't looking for a deal on their next flight? With baggage and others fees piling up, savings are tough to find. You've probably seen offers that sound great until you look further. Timing and flexibility are key. Five On Your Side's Monica Laliberte has the specifics for when you can find the best deals.		
2:00	01/24/2012	5PM
Go-to Kitchen Gadgets Whether you want to be the next Iron Chef or just want to get dinner on the table, you need the right tools. Consumer Reports just tested some popular items and Five On Your Side's Monica Laliberte is here with results that could save you time and effort.		
2:00	01/25/2012	5PM
Best Big Screen TV The Super Bowl is set - the Patriots vs. the Giants! Whether you're hosting the party February 5th or going to one, you want to see the game, the ads and the half time show on a BIG SCREEN TV! And if you're looking to buy a new one, Five On Your Side's Monica Laliberte is here to help you make the right choice.		
2:00	01/26/2012	5PM
Botched CD Deal Richard Ashe sings in his church and paid to make a gospel CD. After months and months of waiting, they contacted Five On Your Side for help.		
2:00	01/27/2012	5PM
Restaurants Our weekly restaurant report looks at the low scoring restaurants in the viewing area, revealing what inspectors found in the kitchen.		
2:00	01/30/2012	5PM
Exposing Hidden Sugar Even if you think you're eating healthy foods, you might be sabotaging your diet. Americans average 22 teaspoons of "extra" sugar a day, that's about a half cup a day. It's often sugar added to foods and in amounts you wouldn't expect. Five On Your Side's Monica Laliberte exposes hidden sugars.		
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Banking Fees		

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We're paying more for just about everything these days — gas, coffee...and even bank fees. Some increases you cannot control and others you can. Five On Your Side's Monica Laliberte is here to show us ways to cut your banking costs.

3:00 02/02/2012 5PM

Flores Tornado Insurance Nightmare

When tornadoes hit last April one Raleigh family thought they were ok. For the most part, the Flores' home looked unscathed. Extreme winds hit their neighborhood and the tornado slammed the neighborhood right across the street! Within days, everything changed. That was 10 months ago and they're still trying to settle with their insurance company. Monica Laliberte tells us how this situation has strained the family: emotionally, physically and financially.

2:00 02/03/2012 5PM

Super Bowl Restaurants By Request

Viewer picks of places where they'll watch the Super Bowl. Five On Your Side gets the inspection reports for each restaurant.

2:00 02/06/2012 5:30PM

Top Chocolates

The predictions are that Americans will spend more than 700 million dollars on chocolate this Valentine's Day. The testers at Consumer Reports took on the tough task of finding the ones that will make your sweetie smile.

2:00 02/08/2012 5PM

Tablet Keyboards

iPads are incredibly popular. Sales at Christmastime topped 15 million. People love them. But there is one thing many users complain about: the virtual keyboard. Five On Your Side's Monica Laliberte says there are some new options.

2:00 02/09/2012 5PM

Smart Money Moves For 2012

Who doesn't want a fatter wallet or better yet, a bigger bank account? BankRate.com has some smart money moves to make it a reality. First, take advantage of pre-tax dollars! That involves contributions to retirement accounts and flexible spending accounts for health and dependent care. Depending on how much you earn, it could save you 25 percent in taxes on the money you contribute. Are you expecting a refund from Uncle Sam this year? That's another waste! You're giving the government a tax-free loan. Adjust your withholdings in your paycheck - that's the money held for taxes each pay period. A change could keep more money in your pocket. Another move is to refinance your mortgage. Rates are at all-time lows, depending on your current rate and what you owe, you could save hundreds of dollars each month. And don't forget about your savings account. You can put the contributions on auto pilot. BankRate.com found only 24 percent of us have an adequate emergency fund which would cover 6 months of expenses or more. Their tips include working with your bank to have a certain percentage automatically moved into a high interest account.

2:15 02/09/2012 6PM

Lunch Box\Tray Germs

What's really inside your kids lunch boxes? A Five On Your Side Investigation found some disgusting things inside kids' lunch boxes. And, what do you think you might find on fast food trays? Monica Laliberte is here with results of an in-depth germ investigation.

2:00 02/11/2012 5:30PM

DIRECTV Missing Equipment

When you switch cable or satellite companies, you have to return equipment. A Cary woman ran into problems when a key piece of that equipment disappeared. She says the new company took the old equipment when they installed their own, and she was slapped with a big bill! After weeks of trying to get the old equipment back, she called Five On Your Side's Monica Laliberte.

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GE Fridge Replaced

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When we go to the fridge, most if not all of us take it for granted that our food and drinks will be cold. A Raleigh woman had to resort to a cooler when her fridge stopped working. After repeated calls for service, she finally called Five On Your Side's Monica Laliberte.

2:30 02/14/2012 6PM
 Robert Hester Cape Fear Memorials Update
 An update on a grieving mom who contacted Five On Your Side when she ran into problems with her son's gravestone. We first shared Janet Adams' story last month. When her son's death date was engraved, it damaged the stone. Five On Your Side's Monica Laliberte went back to the cemetery as the company in question, Cape Fear Memorials, replaced the stone.

2:00 02/15/2012 5PM
 Phyllis Hester/Ernestine Inman Update
 We first told you about this last month after we received multiple complaints against two different memorial companies owned by two siblings. This is difficult to follow but adding to the mess is confusion over which sibling was responsible for what after they traded locations but not business names. Yesterday we updated you on complaints we had naming Robert Hester and his business Cape Fear Memorials now located in Bladenboro. Tonight, an update on complaints against his sister, Phyllis Hester Rittenhouse and her business Quality Monuments now in Fayetteville.

3:00 02/15/2012 6PM
 Phyllis Hester/Wanda Miller
 Our ongoing investigation involves two companies -- Cape Fear Memorials owned by Robert Hester in Bladenboro and Quality Monuments owned by his sister Phyllis Hester Rittenhouse in Fayetteville. Last month, we told you about complaints we received against the businesses. Wanda Miller saw our story and contacted Five On Your Side to share her heartbreaking situation.

2:00 02/17/2012 5PM
 Restaurants By Request
 Our weekly restaurant report looks at the low scoring restaurants in the viewing area, revealing what inspectors found in the kitchen.

2:00 02/20/2012 5PM
 ID Theft Protection
 Five On Your Side shows you ways to protect your personal and confidential information:

2:00 02/21/2012 5PM
 HP Computer Replaced.
 Kay Campbell's children bought her the computer for Christmas a year ago so that she could Skype with her grandchildren. Soon after, it stopped working. The company agreed to repair it but then destroyed it. Five On Your Side helped her get a new one.

2:00 02/22/2012 5PM
 Movie Snacks
 Popcorn, extra butter, nachos plus cheese and a large soda -- just some of the dangerous snacks we all indulge in at the movie theater. Yes, dangerous! The calorie and fat counts will surprise you. Five On Your Side's Monica Laliberte is here with a reality check before you indulge.

2:00 02/23/2012 5PM
 Top Stores
 When you spend money on something, you want to make sure you get a good deal! Where you shop can make all the difference. Five On Your Side's Monica Laliberte shares a store-by-store comparison.

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 Internet Do Not Track Buttons

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We've all seen them! Ads tailor made for you and your interests on different websites. Ever wish they'd go away? Soon, you'll be able to get rid of them and Five On Your Side's Monica Laliberte tells us how.

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Best Space Heaters

Space heaters are especially handy when our temperatures change so much - from warm to cold! Five On Your Side's Monica Laliberte shows us the top options.

2:00 02/24/2012 5PM

Restaurants

A look at viewers' picks for favorite restaurants. Restaurants By Request gets the inspection report for the particular restaurants.

2:00 02/27/2012 5PM

Exploding Lighters

A warning for millions of people who use disposable lighters -- many have a dangerous flaw that allows the flame to continue burning even after it's off! Five On Your Side's Monica Laliberte is here to show us the problem.

2:15 02/29/2012 5PM

Wedding Album Issues

More than two years is how long a couple waited to get their wedding album. When the bride decided that "enough was enough" she contacted Five On Your Side.

2:00 03/01/2012 5PM

Crib Lab Tour

For parents-to-be a crib is a top priority. Five On Your Side's Monica Laliberte recently got a behind-the-scenes look at some of the crib tests underway at Consumer Reports.

2:00 03/01/2012 5:30PM

Best Cribs

It goes without saying you want the best for your baby, your niece, nephew or grandchild! That includes a safe, sturdy crib. Consumer Reports just wrapped up rigorous testing to help you choose the perfect one.

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Attorneys On Call

Attorneys answered the phone lines all day to help viewers with a variety of legal issues.

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2:00 03/05/2012 5PM

Junk Health Insurance

We buy health insurance to cover us in the event of injury or illness. But many people find their insurance barely protects them. Federal health reform is supposed to make decent health care coverage available to everyone at a reasonable cost. But the law isn't fully implemented yet and many people are still struggling. Consumer Reports looked at budget health insurance plans and found some could actually be worse than having no plan at all.

2:00 03/06/2012 5:30PM

Headlight Cleaners

Dirty covers keeping your headlights from being as bright as they could be. Over time, that cloudy look can cut your light in half! Headlight cleaners claim to help. Five On Your Side's Monica Laliberte shows us whether they really do.

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2011 Top Consumer Complaints		
Five On Your Side listed the top complaints of 2011, and offered advice on how to avoid similar issues.		
2:00	03/07/2012	5:30PM
DIY Drills		
Whether you're the handyman or woman in your house, a drill is likely one of the things you use the most. Dozens were just put to the test. Five On Your Side's Monica Laliberte shows us which cordless options measure up.		
2:00	03/08/2012	5:30PM
Water Purifiers		
An estimated 60 million water bottles are thrown out every day. A lot of people turn to reusable bottles and home filtration systems to help protect the environment. Five On Your Side's Monica Laliberte shows us which filters work best.		
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Bullet Proof Your Tax Return		
Learn the top reasons tax returns get flagged by the IRS. Five On Your Side shows you how to reduce your risk of an audit.		
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Best Cars		
Which automaker do you think tops the list for best cars? The answer might surprise you! Consumer Reports bases the results on tests of the 13 major automakers of more than 275 vehicles. Five On Your Side's Monica Laliberte reveals those top companies.		
2:00	03/14/2012	5PM
Tire Gauges		
It's simple and it could make all the difference in your daily drive – tire pressure. You might not think about it but it can really impact how your car handles. Five On Your Side's Monica Laliberte can help you keep things in check.		
2:00	03/15/2012	5PM
Laundry Detergent		
Stop throwing money down the drain! Many of us do it every time we start a load of laundry. Five On Your Side's Monica Laliberte is here to help us all stop wasting money.		
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N&O Tips		
When you tip someone, you expect the money to go to the person who provided the service. But that may not be happening when you tip your newspaper carrier. Five On Your Side looked into this after receiving complaints from both a customer and a carrier.		
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Cash In Old Electronics		

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How many old TVs, computers and cell phones are cluttering your home? You might be able to turn your old electronics into cash! Five On Your Side's Monica Laliberte tells us how.

2:00 03/21/2012 5PM

Fence Installation Dispute

Thousands of dollars spent on a privacy fence that's crooked. The homeowner blames the installation. The installer blames the homeowner. After months back and forth, the homeowner called Five On Your Side's Monica Laliberte for help.

2:00 3/23/2012 5PM

Best things to buy in bulk

Buying in bulk is not just for large families. There are things we all use all the time that don't go bad. According to some frugal shopping experts on Yahoo Finance, there are five things we can save money by buying in bulk.

2:00 03/26/2012 5PM

Spare Tires

When you buy a new car you're excited about how it looks and the way it handles — even that new car smell! Most of us probably are not thinking about the tires. But maybe we should — Five On Your Side's Monica Laliberte reports on a surprising change carmakers are making.

2:00 03/27/2012 6PM

ADT Alarm Issue

"Turn off the alarm!" A viewer contacted Five On Your Side after he says that's what the company told him to do when his brand new home alarm system kept going off during all hours of the day and night.

2:15 03/28/2012 5:30PM

Implant Dangers

Chances are, you or someone you know, has an artificial hip, knee or some other medical implant. Seventeen percent of adults in the U.S. have one. All the more reason for concern about a just released investigation that shows many implantable medical devices are barely tested. Five On Your Side's Monica Laliberte explains.

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Tax Experts On Call

Tax experts answered viewer phone calls all afternoon, offering free tax advice to WRAL viewers.

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EDUCATION

2:00 01/01/2012 5PM

Tata One Year On The Job

Wake County schools Superintendent Tony Tata said Monday that he is confident the school system is headed in the right direction, especially with its new choice-model student assignment plan.

2:00 01/18/2012 5:30PM

Tedesco

Wake County school board member John Tedesco says he will decide by Jan. 26 whether he will run this year for state school superintendent

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School Board Member Running For Higher Office

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Wake County school board member Debra Goldman is considering a run "for higher office" in 2012.

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Wilson Teacher Award

Malinda Pennington, a teacher at Wilson County's Toisnot Middle School, is the winner of the North Central Regional Teacher of the Year award. She will compete against eight other regional honorees to be North Carolina's 2012-13 Teacher of the Year.

2:00 01/25/2012 5:30PM

School Lunches

School lunches are getting a little healthier with new nutrition guidelines, but school system administrators say healthier menu options could pose challenges.

2:00 01/26/2012 5PM

Durham Charter School

The Durham Board of Education voted Thursday night to adopt a resolution opposing a proposed charter school. Research Triangle High School is scheduled to open in the fall.

2:00 01/31/2012 5:30PM

Schools Science Grade

North Carolina's science education standards for elementary, middle and high schools rate only a D, according to a report released Tuesday.

2:00 02/01/2012 5PM

Garner High Principal

The principal at Garner Magnet High School is one of eight finalists for the 2012 Wells Fargo North Carolina Principal of the Year, officials said Wednesday.

2:00 02/02/2012 NOON

Dropout Rate

High school dropout rate drops in Wake schools.

2:00 02/03/2012 5PM

Governor's School

A pioneering summer program for gifted high school students in North Carolina will live on for a 50th year after alumni and other donors stepped in with cash in the months since state lawmakers eliminated funding.

2:00 02/07/2012 5:30PM

Governor Morehead School

Wake schools' lease plan would keep Morehead School open.

2:00 02/09/2012 5PM

Warren County School Solar Energy

Construction begins in April on a solar roof atop Warren County High School in Warrenton – a project that, when complete, will be the largest solar panel system on a school in North Carolina.

2:00 02/13/2012 5PM

Wake Schools Computer Grant

Thanks to an educational grant from IBM, up to 200 children in 10 Wake County schools have been able to use IBM KidSmart computers this school year to work on skills like color recognition, counting, sorting, eye-hand coordination and other fine motor skills.

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Hoke School Lunches

Controversy over what a Hoke County preschooler ate for lunch last month has captured national media attention. But the school system said Wednesday that it never took the girl's homemade lunch away or forced her to eat cafeteria food.

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Reassignment

A community group on Friday charged that the costs of the new student assignment plan for Wake County schools is being obscured by a proposed shift in school schedules for next fall.

2:00 02/23/2012 5PM

Wake Schools Reassignments

Parents of children in Wake County public schools have until 10 p.m. Friday to choose the schools they want in the online selection process for the district's new student assignment plan.

2:00 03/02/2012 5PM

Honor

NC teacher wins national honor.

2:00 03/06/2012 5PM

Wake Schools Budget

Wake schools superintendent unveils \$1.25B budget.

2:00 03/07/2012 NOON

School Disaster Drills

NC schools, offices drill for tornadoes.

2:00 03/13/2012 5PM

Schedule Changes

Parents say bus schedule changes will cost Wake families.

2:00 03/15/2012 5PM

Student Assignment Preview

Wake student assignment results to be posted Friday.

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Nat'l Award For Local School

Durham elementary school wins national award.

2:00 03/22/2012 5PM

New Meredith College President

Meredith College alumna Jo Allen was formally installed Thursday as the school's eighth president.

2:00 03/24/2012 5PM

Tuition Hikes

NC students plan meeting to oppose tuition hikes.

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Taxes to Help Schools

Perdue keeps pressing for tax increase for schools.

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Bus Plan

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Wake school board approves alternate bus routing plan.

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Budget Cuts

Local public school superintendents from around North Carolina are being invited to talk about how they have dealt with reduced education funding.

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St. Aug's

Saint Augustine's College to become Saint Augustine's University

HEALTH

2:00 01/03/2012 5:30PM

JAMA Calories

Many people hope 2012 will be the year when they finally conquer their weight problem. 60% of adults in the U.S. are overweight and more than 30% are obese. As WRAL's Dr. Allen Mask explains, researchers wanted to know if the real culprit of weight gain is too many fatty proteins or just too many calories.

2:00 01/04/2012 5:30PM

SAFEchild

Raleigh home converted into a safe haven for children who've been sexually or physically abused. This is a place where they can be examined and carefully questioned by authorities.

2:00 01/05/2012 5:30PM

Herpes Vaccine

The most common form of sexually transmitted disease affects 25 percent of women in the U.S. Genital herpes is a lifelong disease – with no cure. And until now, no vaccine. As WRAL's Dr. Allen Mask explains, researchers are both surprised and disappointed by vaccine test results

2:00 01/06/2012 5:30PM

Organ Donation

The Broughton High School band wasn't the only local connection at the Tournament of Roses Parade in Pasadena, California. A young Cary woman was riding a flowery float. She was there to help promote organ donation. As WRAL's Dr. Allen Mask reports, she was among the country's first infants to receive a donor liver.

2:00 01/09/2012 5:30PM

Marijuana Laws

Marijuana is an illicit drug, growing more common in the United States. It is also used legally by some patients for medical purposes. As WRAL's Dr. Allen Mask explains, researchers found interesting differences on lung function of marijuana versus tobacco smoke.

2:00 01/10/2012 5:30PM

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Starting a diet is easy. Sticking to it is the hard part. WRAL's Dr. Allen Mask shows us how successful dieters stay on target.

2:00 01/11/2012 5:30PM

Yoga Benefits

A commitment to exercise in 2012 means more people filling gyms and health clubs. They're lifting weights, running on treadmills and taking aerobics classes. As WRAL's Dr. Allen Mask shows us, many people find similar benefits, and more, with yoga.

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GERD Device

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Heartburn and other symptoms of acid reflux have dramatically increased over the last decade. That's made acid reflux medications among the most common prescribed AND over-the-counter drugs. As WRAL's Dr. Allen Mask explains, an FDA panel is discussing the approval of a new surgical option that may help free people from those medications.

30:00 01/16/2012 1:00PM
Rex on Call – Nutrition/Fitness
Rex Hospital doctors answer viewers' health questions and share the latest medical breakthroughs.

2:00 01/17/2012 5:30PM
Gum Disease
We know that good oral health will help us keep our teeth longer. However - the benefits go far beyond your mouth. As WRAL's Dr. Allen Mask explains, problems with gum disease can affect other parts of the body and place your life at risk.

2:00 01/18/2012 5:30PM
Obesity Trend
This time of year - every year - people resolve to lose weight, but it isn't working. As WRAL's Dr. Allen Mask explains, local diet experts say it's time to change weight loss strategies.

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Intradermal Flu Shot
The flu vaccine in a new form with a very short needle that only delivers the vaccine into the dermal layer - so that more people who've avoided the flu shot may be comfortable getting this one.

2:00 01/20/2012 5:30PM
Boy Heart Pump
A 10 year old Lumberton boy is hoping to be able to go home soon - after receiving a new heart. A suitable donor's heart for children typically takes 6 months to a year. WRAL's Dr. Allen Mask explains how a new device allowed the boy to wait for the life-saving gift.

2:00 01/24/2012 5:30PM
Sunscreens Children
This isn't the season we're usually thinking about sunscreen. But a new study shows we probably should be! The study says kids aren't protecting themselves from the sun's harmful rays and they're likely to pay a price later in life.

2:00 01/25/2012 5:30PM
Germ Surfaces
If you could actually see germs - you might be surprised, and more careful about what you touch. We touch so many things without thinking about passing on or picking up germs. As WRAL's Dr. Allen Mask tells us, now is the time to practice prevention.

2:00 01/26/2012 5:30PM
Surgeon General
The U.S. Surgeon General, Dr. Regina Benjamin, is promoting her vision for a healthy and fit nation. It's an uphill climb with two-thirds of adults and nearly 1-in-3 children being overweight or obese. As WRAL's Dr. Allen Mask reports, during a visit to the Triangle, Dr. Benjamin said it's all about healthy choices.

2:00 01/27/2012 5:30PM
Tomotherapy
Some cancers occur in parts of the body where it's difficult to isolate radiation treatments. Precise imaging is key to targeting tumors and not surrounding structures. WRAL's Dr. Allen Mask shows us new equipment that makes that challenge easier.

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Fear Of Dentist

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A lot of people just dread going to the dentist. There's the potential for pain in your mouth and in your wallet. But as Dr. Allen Mask reports, there are ways to deal with both.

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Lung Cancer Biopsy

A biopsy is needed to confirm a diagnosis of lung cancer and that used to mean open surgery. WRAL's Dr. Allen Mask shows us a new, less invasive outpatient procedure.

2:00 02/02/2012 5:30PM

Hospital Fries

Hospitals have already gone smoke-free, and now one is going fried-free. Rex Hospital's cafeteria is moving toward healthier options. As WRAL's Dr. Allen Mask explains, they claim the new items will still increase the flavor.

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Fluorescent Imaging

When surgeons go into the body to cut out a tumor, they want to make sure they get it all. With kidney cancer, a tumor can be difficult to see. WRAL's Dr. Allen Mask shows us how UNC surgeons use imaging that makes everything but the tumor glow.

2:00 02/06/2012 5:30PM

Children Snoring

A new study found that young children who have problems breathing while sleeping are at an increased risk for behavioral difficulties later in their childhood. We spoke to UNC sleep disorder experts and a child they helped overcome the problem.

2:00 02/07/2012 5:30PM

Sleep Training

Many parents of infants and toddlers know all about sleepless nights. It can affect parents' jobs, their health and even their marriage. WRAL's Dr. Allen Mask shows us where some parents are turning for a good night's rest.

2:00 02/08/2012 5:30PM

UV Disinfect

You don't expect to get a serious bacterial infection while you're a patient in a hospital - but it can happen. Hospitals have gotten better at preventing infections, so patients are at less risk, today. As WRAL's Dr. Allen Mask shows us, some Triangle hospitals are testing a new tool that kills germs with light.

2:00 02/09/2012 5:30PM

Ulthera Face Lift

Some people who would love to have a facelift would never actually go under the knife! They don't want the stitches, the long recovery, uncertain results or the cost. As WRAL's Dr. Allen Mask shows us, there is a new, non-surgical option.

2:00 02/10/2012 5:30PM

Prostate Heart

Coronary artery disease is the number one cause of death in adults in the United States. Hypertension, obesity, inactivity, high cholesterol, smoking and Type 2 diabetes are known risk factors. As WRAL's Dr. Allen Mask explains, Duke researchers now have evidence that the same factors may raise men's risk of prostate cancer.

2:00 02/14/2012 5:30PM

Pediatric Uveitis

A routine eye exam in a young girl's school detected a problem that turned into something that could have blinded her. But the early detection, referral and treatment at Duke saved her eyesight.

2:00 02/15/2012 5:30PM

Prescription Medication Warning

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Many people witnessed the 48 year old's erratic behavior last week, leading up to the Grammy Awards. Several prescription drugs were found in her hotel room after staff member found her, submerged in a bathtub. If it was an overdose or bad interaction of medications, Houston would join a long list of celebrities over the past couple of years - who died in a similar way. WRAL's Dr. Allen Mask explains, it's a warning to everyone who uses prescription medication.

2:00 02/16/2012 5:30PM

Norovirus Probiotic

A Pediatric physician at WakeMed suggests parents look into the use of probiotics to prevent or lessen the severity of the Norovirus in their children - or adults.

2:00 02/17/2012 5:30PM

Drug Microchip

There's a new high-tech way to deliver medications. As Dr. Allen Mask reports, it's relief for people with chronic diseases who face daily, painful injections - a drug microchip.

30:00 02/20/2012 1:00PM

Rex on Call – Heart Health

Rex Hospital doctors answer viewers' health questions and share the latest medical breakthroughs.

2:00 02/21/2012 5:30PM

Locks of Love

When your own child has a chronic and potentially life threatening illness, it's easy to just focus on your own needs. And, certainly, no one would blame you. WRAL's Dr. Allen Mask shows us what inspired a Goldsboro family to reach out to a sick child - other than their own. The girl has cystic fibrosis and is having her hair cut to provide a wig for a child with cancer.

2:00 02/22/2012 5:30PM

Duke Cancer Center

Opening of the new cancer center at Duke - tour of new boutique, quiet room, lobby, and treatment rooms.

2:00 02/23/2012 5:30PM

UNC Whiteboard

A dry erase board was installed in bathrooms in UNC's new cancer center and went mostly unused for more than a year. But suddenly, in one men's room at treatment area, the men didn't hold back in asking for prayers and offering support using the message board.

2:00 02/24/2012 5:30PM

Artificial Heart Valve

Doctors have successfully replaced a heart valve in a 76-year old woman without major surgery. WRAL's Dr. Allen Mask explains, this is only the second time the procedure has been done. Rather than surgically implanted, the valve is placed endoscopically via a heart catheter.

2:00 02/28/2012 5:30PM

Testicular Cancer

Testicular cancer is rare but it's still the most common malignancy for males age 15 to 35. Cycling legend Lance Armstrong survived it as do most patients who are diagnosed and treated early. For more advanced cases, WRAL's Dr. Allen Mask tells us, UNC now offers tandem stem-cell transplants.

2:00 02/29/2012 5:30PM

New Drug ID Law

If you go to the pharmacy tomorrow you may be asked for a photo ID before you can fill your prescription. A new law passed by the General Assembly goes into effect on March 1st. It's to make sure people receiving controlled substances, are who they say they are.

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2:00	03/01/2012	5:30PM
Whooping Cough Last week the Alamance County Health Department sent out a warning after seeing a significant increase in the whooping cough. Four years ago the CDC recommended combining the pertussis vaccine with a tetanus booster, for adults. As WRAL's Dr. Allen Mask explains, it adds another layer of protection for at risk babies.		
2:00	03/02/2012	5:30PM
Endometriosis Endometriosis it's a fairly common condition for women and it's is a risk factor for ovarian cancer. That's the conclusion of an international consortium of researchers with a study published in cancer journal <i>The Lancet</i> . Dr. Allen Mask shows us what it could mean for women with the condition.		
2:00	03/07/2012	5:30PM
Limb Sparing A new procedure is being performed here in the Triangle that allows doctors to save limbs that may otherwise have been lost to amputation. As WRAL's Dr. Allen Mask explains, the big difference is in the approach.		
2:00	03/08/2012	5:30PM
Diet Cooking Lifestyle coach with Wilson Diet Center demonstrates cooking techniques for clients and one of them shares her story of losing 100 inches off her waist using the techniques - low fat, low salt, more fruits and vegetables, and lean protein.		
2:00	03/09/2012	5:30PM
UNC HIV Prevention Study A study on HIV prevention by UNC's School of Medicine has been named the 2011 Breakthrough of the Year by the journal Science. The study found that early treatment with anti-retroviral therapy reduced HIV transmission by at least 96 percent. UNC researchers have been awarded a 32 million dollar federal grant to develop ways to cure people with HIV using this therapy.		
2:00	03/13/2012	5:30PM
Cryoballoon A new way to scar tissue in the heart of patients with atrial fibrillation, not with heat, but using a catheter tipped with a balloon which is made freezing cold to scar the trouble areas of the heart. Procedure is performed at Duke.		
2:00	03/14/2012	5:30PM
Dry Eye New device and procedure called Lipiflow used at Duke Eye Center to treat dry eye for patients who've used eye drops and medications that don't bring lasting relief.		
2:00	03/15/2012	5:30PM
Cervical Cancer New guidelines are out for cervical cancer screening. A government task force and other health groups agree on changing the frequency of screening. As WRAL's Dr. Allen explains they now recommend that many women be tested less often.		
2:00	03/16/2012	5:30PM
Rex Cancer Center Multidiscipline Rex Cancer Center implements multidisciplinary approach to cancer care - meaning more face to face consultation between different cancer specialists and streamlining scheduling for the patient.		
30:00	03/19/2012	1:00PM
Rex on Call – Colon Health Rex Hospital doctors answer viewers' health questions and share the latest medical breakthroughs.		

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12:00 03/19/2012 5:30PM
Wrist Injuries
 Tar Heel fans spent the week on pins and needles hoping a screw in Kendall Marshall's wrist would allow him to play. The UNC point guard fractured a bone in his right wrist in the second half of the game against Creighton. It did keep him off the court last night. But as Health Team's Dr. Allen Mask explains, this type of injury doesn't necessarily knock a player out of action.

2:00 03/22/2012 5:30PM
Colorectal Cancer
 The second leading cause of cancer deaths is also one of the most preventable. We're talking cancer of the colon or rectum and as WRAL's Dr. Allen Mask reports, the sooner treatment begins the better chance for survival.

2:00 03/26/2012 5:30PM
Cheney Heart Transplant
 Dr. Mask discusses live - that Dick Cheney's heart transplant at age 71 is not that unusual. Older patients are increasingly becoming good candidates for receiving donor hearts and the Triangle's two major university hospitals, UNC and Duke, do it routinely.

2:00 03/27/2012 5:30PM
Sinus Infections
 Ninety to ninety-eight percent of sinus infections are not bacterial, but viral. Therefore, antibiotics are not likely to help most patients with sinus infections. In fact a new study proves it.

2:00 03/30/2012 5:30PM
Prostate Imaging
 New imaging using a parametric MRI helps used at Duke helps urologists identify patients who were previously thought to not have aggressive tumors - but found it's indeed spreading and needs treatment.

POLITICAL

30:00 01/01/2012 10:30AM
Face the Nation
 Guests: Senator Rand Paul (R-KY), Ron Paul supporter (1); former Representative J.C. Watts (R-OK), Newt Gingrich supporter (2); former Senator Jim Talent (R-MO), Mitt Romney supporter (2); Norah O'Donnell, CBS News Chief White House Correspondent (3); John Dickerson, CBS News Political Director (3); Mike Allen, Chief White House Correspondent, Politico (3); David Yepsen, Director, Paul Simon Public Policy Institute (3)
 1) Topics include: speculation regarding Representative Ron Paul's chances in the upcoming Iowa caucus / reasons behind Representative Paul's appeal to Democrats and Independents
 2) Topics include: former Representative Watts' reasons for supporting Newt Gingrich / belief that Mr. Gingrich's dropping poll numbers are due to the many negative advertisements, paid for by super PACs supporting Mitt Romney, that have aired in Iowa / Governor Mitt Romney's claim that he does not support super PACs / examples from former Senator Talent as to why Mr. Romney is the stronger candidate
 3) Topics include: importance of the upcoming Iowa caucus / low polling numbers from voters who identify themselves as Evangelicals; update on the Obama campaign; speculation as to which candidate will drop out after the Iowa caucus

2:00 01/03/2012 5:30PM
McCrory
 Former Charlotte mayor and repeat gubernatorial hopeful Pat McCrory posted some big fundraising numbers Tuesday. Perdue's campaign couldn't immediately counter.

2:00 01/04/2012 5PM
Veto Standoff Over
 Gov. Bev Perdue has appointed Rep. Trudi Walend to a seat in the NC House, ending a standoff over a veto override vote.

2:00 01/05/2012 5:30PM

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Midnight Veto

In an unprecedented move early Thursday, the North Carolina General Assembly voted to hold a special legislative session after midnight for veto overrides, prompting a sharp rebuke from Democratic Gov. Bev Perdue.

2:00 01/06/2012 6PM

Override Veto

Democrats say this morning's unannounced veto override session was an affront to transparency. Republicans say it was legal. Neither side expects voters to care much in November.

30:00 01/08/2012 10:30AM

Face the Nation

Guests: General Martin Dempsey, Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff (1); Leon Panetta, Secretary of Defense (1); Senator John McCain (R-AZ), Senate Armed Services Committee, Mitt Romney supporter (2)

1) Topics include: reaction to Republican criticism regarding the January 7 announcement from the Obama administration outlining changes in the strategy and structure of the American military / reasons behind the changes in policy and what it means for the future requirements and capabilities of the military / primary message this change sends to the rest of the world / response to those who believe that the size of the American military is already too small; policy regarding Iran and the belief that they are trying to obtain nuclear weaponry / possibility that Iran will react to international sanctions by blocking off the Straits of Hormuz -- a major waterway used for transporting oil / call for the international community -- particularly Israel -- to work together; assurance that the Iraqi government is capable of maintaining the safety of the remaining American civilians in Iraq; pledge to the world that America intends to remain the strongest military power

2) Topics include: support for the policy changes to the military, but concern regarding how these changes will be perceived by the rest of the world / belief that the current government breakdown in Iraq, along with Iran's influence, could result in a civil war in that country / criticism of the Obama administration for not being more supportive of the Iranian demonstrators; reasoning behind Senator McCain's decision to endorse his one-time political rival Mitt Romney / commitment to endorse the Republican nominee

2:00 01/09/2012 5:30PM

NCAE Challenge

North Carolina is venturing into new territory with a lawsuit that questions the constitutionality of a veto override. Legal experts don't agree on where a judge might come down on the issues.

2:00 01/13/2012 6PM

Cansler DSS

It's rarely a good sign when an agency head gives two weeks' notice. It's an even worse sign when the news is carefully spun and then dropped late on a Friday afternoon before a holiday weekend.

30:00 01/15/2012 10:30AM

Face the Nation

Guests: Newt Gingrich, Republican Presidential Candidate, Former Speaker of the House of Representatives (1); former Senator Rick Santorum (R-PA), Republican Presidential Candidate (2); Senator Jim DeMint (R-SC), Author, "Now or Never: Saving America from Economic Collapse" (3); Jodi Kantor, Author, "The Obamas", Correspondent, The New York Times (4)

1) Topics include: need for the Republican candidate to be someone in "sharp contrast with Obama" / reasons why Mr. Gingrich feels that he is a better candidate than Mitt Romney / criticism of Mr. Romney's work as governor of Massachusetts / further explanation of Mr. Gingrich's appearance on the January 3rd edition of THE EARLY SHOW, where when asked, Mr. Gingrich called Mr. Romney a liar / commitment to fix any inaccuracies that may appear in his campaign ads / belief that Mr. Romney is far too liberal and will ultimately collapse under the pressure of running against President Obama

2) Topics include: Mr. Santorum's agreement with Mr. Gingrich that Mr. Romney is far too liberal and will ultimately collapse under the pressure of running against President Obama / Mr. Santorum's reasons why he feels that he is the better candidate than Mr. Romney, Representative Paul, or Mr. Gingrich

3) Topics include: pledge of support for any of the Republican candidates hoping to win the party's nomination / reaction to a quote appearing in The New York Times magazine, from the head of the Spartanburg, South Carolina Tea Party, stating that she "does not know a single Tea Party person who does not despise Mitt Romney to the very core of their being" / plan to not endorse any of the

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...andidates, instead focusing on the Senate Conservatives' Fund; explanation behind "No Compromise with Democrats", a chapter title from his book; belief that it is not unusual that conservatives have not converged on one Republican candidate

4) Topics include: Ms. Kantor's surprise by the negative reaction coming from the White House regarding her book on the Obama White House / belief that Mrs. Obama is portrayed in a positive light, not as an "angry black woman", as stated by Mrs. Obama in her interview with Gayle King, co-anchor of CBS THIS MORNING

30:00 01/22/2012 10:30AM

Face the Nation

Guests: Newt Gingrich, Republican Presidential Candidate, Former Speaker of the House of Representatives (1); Senator Lindsey Graham (R-SC) (2); former Governor Haley Barbour (R-MS), former Chairman, Republican National Committee (2); Kelly Evans, Columnist, The Wall Street Journal (3); Joe Klein, Columnist, Time (3)

1) Topics include: Mr. Gingrich's surprise victory in the January 21st South Carolina primary / reaction to the ABC News interview with his ex-wife, Marianne Gingrich, in which she claimed that he asked for an open marriage / response to recent comments from fellow Republican candidate Mitt Romney, claiming that Mr. Gingrich is both too similar to President Obama and an unsuitable candidate / belief that Mr. Romney is having a difficult time relating to people because he is inauthentic / positive reaction to Mr. Schieffer's proposal of appearing with Mr. Romney in FACE THE NATION's first hour-long broadcast next Sunday

2) Topics include: praise for Mr. Gingrich's debate performance and victory in the South Carolina primary from Senator Graham / explanation from former Governor Barbour of what makes a candidate part of the Republican establishment / praise for both Mr. Romney and Mr. Gingrich; defense from former Governor Barbour over his decision to pardon two hundred former and current prisoners as he left office

3) Topics include: analysis of the South Carolina debate / how changes in the Republican party are impacting Mr. Gingrich and Mr. Romney / key issues for campaigning in Florida -- the housing crisis and entitlement concerns, such as Medicare and Social Security

2:00 01/24/2012 5:30PM

GOP Governor Debate

Republican legislative leaders took the unusual step today of calling on Governor Bev Perdue to publicly debate them on the issue of education funding.

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CBS NEWS SPECIAL REPORT: "State of the Union 2012" - live coverage of President Obama's State of the Union address to a joint session of Congress. Includes: (1) President Obama's address; (2) Correspondents' commentary v/o video of President Obama exiting the House chamber; (3) Republican Response by Governor Mitch Daniels (R-IN). Correspondents: Scott Pelley (anchor, Washington, D.C.); Bob Schieffer; Norah O'Donnell; Nancy Cordes

2:00 01/29/2012 6PM

Perdue Back

Two days after announcing she won't run for a second term, Gov. Bev Perdue won huge applause for a speech at the Dems' event tonight in Greensboro.

30:00 01/29/2012 10:30AM

Face the Nation

Guests: Newt Gingrich, Republican Presidential Candidate, Former Speaker of the House of Representatives (1); Representative Michele Bachmann, (R-MN) (2) (6); Donald Trump, entrepreneur (3) (7); Reince Priebus, Chair, Republican National Committee (4); Representative Debbie Wasserman Schultz (D-FL), Chair, Democratic National Committee (5); Representative Allen West (R-FL) (6); Representative Mario Diaz-Balart (R-FL) (6); Dave Barry, humorist, columnist, The Miami Herald (8); Marc Caputo, political writer, The Miami Herald (8); John Dickerson, CBS News Political Director (8)

1) Topics include: reasons why Mr. Gingrich feels that Mitt Romney is too dishonest to be president / commitment to continue his bid for the Republican nomination, regardless of the outcome in Tuesday's Florida primary

2) Topics include: Representative Bachmann's refusal to give her opinion as to whether or not she agrees with New Gingrich's negative opinion of Mitt Romney, believing that it is up to the voters to decide / assurance that the Tea party is still relevant and has played a role in the Republican debates; decision to run for reelection in her congressional district

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- 3) A brief excerpt of an interview conducted yesterday with Mr. Trump, in which he expresses his concern over the level of hatred between the Republican candidates.
- 4) Topics include: belief that tough primaries make better candidates / November's election will ultimately be a referendum on President Obama / criticism of President Obama's job performance; disagreement with Sarah Palin's Facebook posting where she says that it is not Gingrich versus Romney, but the Republican establishment versus the Tea Party; opinion that all of the Republican candidates are men of integrity
- 5) Topics include: examples of why Representative Wasserman Schultz believes that Mitt Romney is out of step with the priorities of Floridians / rumor that Senator Marco Rubio of Florida will be chosen as a running mate to the Republican nominee / disagreement with poll results from The Miami Herald indicating that Mitt Romney would beat President Obama / reaction to Donald Trump's suggestion that he may enter the presidential race as an independent
- 6) Topics include: Representative Diaz-Balart's support for Mitt Romney / Representative Bachmann's belief that the creation of the Tea Party has caused the Republican Party to return to its basic values; criticism of President Obama's job performance; disagreement with Newt Gingrich's opinion that Mitt Romney is not conservative enough; differing opinions as to whether or not President Obama deserves credit for accomplishing anything during his presidency, including giving the order to kill Osama bin Laden
- 7) Additional footage of yesterday's interview with Mr. Trump, in which he discusses both the strengths and weaknesses of Newt Gingrich and Mitt Romney, as well as the possibility of himself entering the race as an independent.
- 8) Topics include: reasons behind the shift from Newt Gingrich to Mitt Romney in the polls / how a win for Mr. Romney in the Florida primary will impact Mr. Gingrich / highly negative tone of the political ads airing in Florida / Mr. Gingrich's need to be able to connect with the voters / support for poll results indicating that Mitt Romney, not Newt Gingrich, would be the Republican candidate to beat President Obama in a general election

2:00 02/01/2012 6PM
 Goldman for Auditor
 Wake County school board member Debra Goldman has announced she's running for State Auditor.

2:00 02/01/2012 5PM
 Racial Justice Act
 House Speaker Thom Tillis has appointed a select committee to revisit the 2009 Racial Justice Act.

2:00 02/02/2012 6PM
 Bowles
 Former UNC President Erskine Bowles has decided not to enter the 2012 Governor's race.

30:00 02/05/2012 10:30AM
 Face the Nation
 Guests: Newt Gingrich, Republican Presidential Candidate, Former Speaker of the House of Representatives (1); Rudy Giuliani (R-NY), former Mayor of New York City, former Republican Presidential Candidate (2); Michael Kranish, reporter, The Boston Globe, co-author, "The Real Romney" (3); John Dickerson, CBS News Political Director (3); Norah O'Donnell, CBS News Chief White House Correspondent (3)

- 1) Topics include: Mr. Gingrich's plans for securing the Republican nomination / differences between himself and Mr. Romney / reaction to Mr. Romney's declaration that he is "not concerned about the very poor" / Mr. Gingrich's campaign strategy, due to his lack of funding and organization, compared with that of Mr. Romney / if necessary, his willingness to put his disapproval of Mr. Romney aside, in order to come together to defeat President Obama; what the United States should do to contribute to the defeat of President Bashar al-Assad of Syria
- 2) Topics include: decision not to endorse any of the Republican candidates at the present time / Mr. Giuliani's concern regarding the overall tone of the campaign / his public criticism of the Republican candidates when they verbally attack one another / Mr. Giuliani's happiness with his decision not to run for the Republican nomination / his classification of himself as a moderate Republican / commitment to endorse Mitt Romney should he become the Republican nominee / his interpretation of Mr. Romney's comments regarding the very poor
- 3) Topics include: Mr. Kranish's assessment of the Romney campaign, including his inability to connect with the American people; Mr. Dickerson's assessment of the Gingrich campaign, including his decision to stay in the race; explanation from Ms. O'Donnell as to

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Why the Obama campaign has yet to comment on the Republican race for president / prediction that the end of March or April will be when President Obama will launch his full campaign-style mode and begin to engage Mitt Romney by name

2:00 02/06/2012 6PM

Coverage Wins Award

WRAL News coverage of the General Assembly, including live streams from key committee meetings and legislative sessions, got a nod Monday from the N.C. Center for Voter Education.

2:00 02/07/2012 5:30PM

Weiss Retirement

Rep. Jennifer Weiss announced today she won't seek re-election in 2012. It's the latest blow to the battered House Democratic caucus:

30:00 02/12/2012 10:30AM

Face the Nation

Guests: Representative Ron Paul (R-TX), Republican Presidential Candidate (1); Senator Mitch McConnell (R-KY), Senate Republican Leader (2); Jacob Lew, White House Chief of Staff (3); Clarissa Ward, CBS News Foreign Correspondent (4)

1) Topics include: Representative Paul's campaign plans, after last night's narrow defeat in the Maine caucus by Mitt Romney / belief that his three fellow Republican candidates -- Newt Gingrich, Mitt Romney, and Rick Santorum -- "are rather typical of what's wrong with the country" / Representative Paul's assertion that he is more conservative than his fellow candidates and that they all represent the status quo, especially in regard to foreign policy / reasons behind the lack of enthusiasm from Republicans for his fellow candidates / belief that the Republican nominee will be able to beat President Obama in the election

2) Topics include: Senator McConnell's agreement with Representative Paul's opinion that any Republican candidate will beat President Obama; reaction to Friday's statement from President Obama on the compromise reached regarding contraception insurance coverage for female employees at religiously affiliated institutions / assertion that the issue is not about contraception, but about freedom of religion / support for Missouri Senator Blunt's proposal for an amendment that would allow any group that has a moral objection to contraception, to not have to pay for it in their insurance plans; tomorrow's delivery to Congress of President Obama's budget proposals

3) Topics include: Friday's statement from President Obama on the compromise reached regarding contraception insurance coverage for female employees at religiously affiliated institutions

4) Topics include: dangers behind Ms. Ward's reporting from Syria / obstacles facing the rebel forces in their attempt to bring down the Syrian regime

30:00 02/19/2012 10:30AM

Face the Nation

Guests: former Senator Rick Santorum (R-PA), Republican Presidential Candidate (1); John Dickerson, CBS News Political Director (2); Norah O'Donnell, CBS News Chief White House Correspondent (2); Karen Tumulty, Political Reporter, The Washington Post (2); Todd Spangler, Washington Correspondent, Detroit Free Press (2)

1) Topics include: clarification regarding recent comments made by Mr. Santorum in which he appeared to question President Obama's religious beliefs, criticize the "phony theology" of environmentalism, oppose prenatal care, and the government's running of the public school system on both the federal and state level

2) Topics include: Mr. Dickerson's assessment of Rick Santorum's campaign / thoughts on the upcoming Michigan primary from Mr. Spangler and Ms. Tumulty; reaction from the White House to Mr. Santorum's comments questioning President Obama's theology; belief of the Obama campaign that Mitt Romney will be the Republican nominee; current status of Newt Gingrich's campaign / speculation as to how the opposition to the automotive bailout from Republican candidates could be interpreted by voters in Michigan; explanation from Ms. O'Donnell as to why the Obama campaign is waiting to launch their first official campaign swing

2:00 02/24/2012 5PM

Community Colleges

North Carolina's role as a key state for President Barack Obama's re-election prospects got further validation Friday as Vice President Joe Biden visited Davidson County Community College.

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Face the Nation		
Guests: Governor Chris Christie (R-NJ), Mitt Romney supporter (1); Governor Martin O'Malley (D-MD), Chairman, Democratic Governors Association (2)		
1) Topics include: reaction to criticism of Mitt Romney from fellow Republican presidential candidate Rick Santorum / defense of Mr. Romney and his perceived inability to connect "with the common folk" / assurance from Governor Christie that Mr. Romney cares about the very poor / belief that Mr. Romney will be the Republican presidential nominee / disagreement with comments made by former Senator Al Simpson of Wyoming, warning Republicans about the dangers to their party in focusing too much on social issues / potential strategy in the race against President Obama / Governor Christie's lack of interest in the position of vice president; Governor Christie's budget, which includes a proposed ten percent tax cut		
2) Topics include: support for President Obama's leadership and his role in improving the economy / rising gas prices / reaction to comments from Rick Santorum, in which he called President Obama a snob for wanting every American to have the opportunity to attend college / support for President Obama's handling of the issue regarding contraception insurance coverage for female employees at religiously affiliated institutions / hope that contraception will not be an issue in the upcoming election / belief that the focus Republicans are placing on social issues could benefit President Obama in the upcoming election, but ultimately be bad for the country		
2:00	02/27/2012	6PM
Rick Glazier Leaves Dpi Race		
Rep. Rick Glazier, D-Cumberland, announced today he's withdrawing from the state schools chief race to seek re-election to the House.		
2:00	02/27/2012	5PM
Dems Race		
A new poll shows Richard Moore tied with Dalton but lagging Etheridge for Governor, and Coleman leading a Lieutenant Governor list that includes Commerce Sec. Keith Crisco.		
2:00	02/27/2012	5:30PM
Tillis Protest Rule		
Just prior to today's ten-minute legislative session at which nothing happened, House Speaker Thom Tillis apparently invoked a 25-year-old rule to disperse a protest outside his office.		
2:00	02/28/2012	5:30PM
Dan Blue For Senate		
Wake County Sen. Dan Blue said Tuesday that he plans to seek re-election this fall and won't pursue the Democratic nomination for governor.		
2:00	02/29/2012	6PM
Dems Governor Race		
With filing closed just hours ago, the three Dem gubernatorial frontrunners are already working to define themselves. This report includes a preview.		
30:00	03/04/2012	10:30AM
Face the Nation		
Guests: Governor Mitch Daniels (R-IN) (1); Newt Gingrich, Republican Presidential Candidate, Former Speaker of the House of Representatives (2); Representative Ron Paul (R-TX), Republican Presidential Candidate (3)		
1) Update on the tornado damage suffered in Indiana from Friday and Saturday's storms.		
2) Topics include: importance of each Republican presidential candidate being able to carry their home state / predictions for Super Tuesday; reaction to criticism from Mr. Romney against Mr. Gingrich and Mr. Santorum for being "creatures of Washington" / belief that comments made in 2002 from Mr. Romney – in which he talked of getting money from Washington – further reveal the level of dishonesty from the Romney campaign / claim that Mr. Romney is the true establishment candidate		

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J) Topics include: predictions for Super Tuesday; reasons why Representative Paul has chosen to remain in the race for the Republican nomination / reaction to Mr Santorum's claim that Representative Paul is in the race for the nomination because he is in league with Mr. Romney and is hoping that Mr. Romney will choose Representative Paul's son -- Senator Rand Paul -- as his running mate; belief that Rush Limbaugh's apology to Georgetown University law student Sandra Fluke, for calling her a prostitute because she testified before Congress in favor of government health care plans paying for birth control, was disingenuous / opposition to the government being able to mandate that insurance companies provide women with free birth control / opinion that Mr. Santorum's past support for Planned Parenthood makes him a "fake conservative"

2:00 03/06/2012 5:30PM

UNC Leaders vs. Limbaugh

UNC Chancellor Holden Thorp and longtime UNC system president Bill Friday seem to be at odds over an alumni petition asking the school to take its sports broadcasts away from stations that air Rush Limbaugh's show.

30:00 03/11/2012 10:30AM

Face the Nation

Guests: Mandy Clark, CBS News Correspondent (1); David Martin, CBS News National Security Correspondent (2) (5); Newt Gingrich, Republican Presidential Candidate, Former Speaker of the House of Representatives (3); Robert Gibbs, Obama Campaign Advisor (4); Norah O'Donnell, CBS News Chief White House Correspondent (5)

1) Update on the current situation in the Kandahar province of Afghanistan, where an American soldier left his U.S. military base in the early hours and went on a shooting spree in two villages, killing at least fifteen civilians.

2) The seriousness of the Kandahar incident, which undercuts the mission of U.S. troops in Afghanistan.

3) Topics include: how Mr. Gingrich would handle the recent violence by a U.S. soldier in Afghanistan / call for U.S. troops to leave Afghanistan / belief that American foreign policy is not ruthless enough to force real change in Afghanistan; upcoming Republican primaries in Alabama and Mississippi / his commitment to staying in the race until the Republican convention in Tampa Bay / reaction to a comment from Senator John McCain, in which he expressed his concern over the length of the Republican race for a nominee

4) Topics include: thoughts on the negative "process" the Republicans have undertaken in the race to choose a nominee / belief that the economy will be a major factor in the upcoming election / anticipation that President Obama will become more engaged in the campaign once the Republicans have a nominee / Mr. Gibbs' opinion that a clear front-runner has yet to be established for the Republicans; the situation in Afghanistan

5) Topics include: reaction from the White House to the shooting in Afghanistan / concern for the safety of U.S. soldiers in Afghanistan / prediction that this violence will result in more people calling for an immediate withdrawal from the area / the number of troubling and serious events involving U.S. troops in Afghanistan and how they have impacted foreign policy in the region / how this incident will effect Republicans and Democrats in the presidential election

2:00 03/14/2012 5:30PM

Incumbent Battle

Veteran House Democrat Jim Crawford has launched his first TV ad in 20 years. It's a sign of what's likely to be a tough battle against fellow Dem incumbent Winkie Wilkins.

30:00 03/18/2012 10:30AM

Face the Nation

Guests: David Axelrod, Chief Strategist, Obama Campaign (1); Reince Priebus, Chairman, Republican National Committee (RNC) (2); Ed Gillespie, Former Republican National Committee (RNC) Chairman, Romney Supporter (3); Rich Lowry, Contributor, Fox News; Columnist, Time; Editor, The National Review (3); Norah O'Donnell, CBS News Chief White House Correspondent (3)

1) Topics include: Obama administration's plan for lowering gasoline prices / reaction to a comment from Republican presidential candidate Mitt Romney, claiming that President Obama actually wants to see gas prices increase during the presidential campaign; whether or not the Obama administration regrets rejecting TransCanada's application to build the Keystone XL pipeline; criticism of Mitt Romney

2) Topics include: criticism of President Obama for the country's high gasoline prices and the shutdown of the Keystone XL pipeline; belief that the Republicans will choose a nominee in the next month or two / assertion that the Republican National

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Committee is not anticipating a brokered convention / assurance that the protracted primary process will keep the focus on the Republicans and will only serve to strengthen the eventual nominee

3) Topics include: Mr. Gillespie's belief that Mitt Romney will be the eventual nominee, thus avoiding a brokered convention / support for Michael Steele, former RNC chairman, for initiating proportional delegate allocation in the primaries, meaning that the number of delegates awarded is based on the number of votes received / Mr. Lowry's opinion that it is time for Newt Gingrich to suspend his campaign / Ms. O'Donnell's view that the Republican base is not happy with the prolonged process or any of the candidates / Mitt Romney's difficulty in connecting with Republicans / any damage done to the Republican Party will be erased once a nominee is chosen

2:00 03/19/2012 5PM
 Perdue Asking For More Money For Schools
 Gov. Bev Perdue is kicking off a two-week tour pushing lawmakers to find more money for schools this year.

30:00 03/25/2012 10:30AM
 Face the Nation
 Guests: former Senator Rick Santorum (R-PA), Republican Presidential Candidate (1); Representative Paul Ryan (R-WI), Chairman, House Budget Committee (2); Senator Chuck Schumer (D-NY) (3)
 Guest Moderator: Norah O'Donnell, CBS News Chief White House Correspondent
 1) Topics include: Mr. Santorum's win in Saturday's Louisiana primary / disagreement over the method the Romney campaign is using to tabulate the delegate count / belief that he is still a viable candidate / criticism of Mr. Romney / clarification of comments made by Mr. Santorum in San Antonio, where he appeared to endorse a win by President Obama over Mr. Romney in the national election / upcoming GOP primary in Wisconsin; reaction to the shooting death of seventeen-year-old Trayvon Martin in Florida / fellow candidate Newt Gingrich's criticism of President Obama for his comments on the shooting
 2) Topics include: overview of the just released Republican budget plan, which calls for 5.3 trillion dollars in spending cuts / reaction to criticism from the White House, saying that the budget gives millionaires a \$150,000 tax cut / explanation of the proposed changes in Medicare and cuts to Medicaid; belief that Mitt Romney is a fiscal conservative; assertion that the proposed budget will not hurt the Republican Party in the November elections; lack of interest in running for president at this time
 3) Topics include: reaction to the Trayvon Martin case / criticism of Florida's "Stand Your Ground" law; the Republican budget plan

2:00 03/27/2012 6PM
 Tillis Marriage Amendment
 House Speaker says he supports the marriage amendment that voters will see in the May primary, but says future generations may repeal it.

2:00 03/29/2012 NOON
 Fracking
 Republicans say they're going slow but critics are disappointed they're moving forward on gas drilling at all.

2:00 03/30/2012 5PM
 NCAE
 Attorneys for the state asked a Wake County judge today to dismiss NCAE's lawsuit against lawmakers.

PUBLIC AFFAIRS

30:00 01/01/2012 6:30AM
 NC Spin
 On this show we ask our panel to predict what will happen in 2012 and we will also name our NC SPIN Tar Heel of the Year.

60:00 01/01/2012 7:33PM
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"The Majority Leader" - an interview / profile of House Majority Leader Eric Cantor, the Republican Congressman who has played a pivotal role in the recent bipartisan standoffs over the deficit reduction, extending the payroll tax cut, and passing President Obama's jobs bill. Includes comments by Cantor's wife, Diana. (C: Lesley Stahl - P: Karen M. Sughrue)

"The Perfect Score" - in his first interview about his criminal fraud, nineteen-year-old college student Sam Eshaghoff tells how he was able to take the SAT and ACT college admissions exams for other students who paid him thousands of dollars to do so. Also includes interviews with Kathleen Rice, Nassau County (Long Island, NY) District Attorney, and Kurt Landgraf, president of the Educational Testing Service (ETS). (C: Alison Stewart - P: Katherine Davis)

"Alone On The Wall" - an interview / profile of Alex Honnold, a 26-year-old rock climber who practices "free solo" climbing - in which the climber uses only his hands and feet, and no ropes or protection. The 60 MINUTES cameras follow his free solo climb up Sentinel Mountain in Yosemite National Park. Also includes comments by John Long, former expert rock climber. (C: Lara Logan - P: Jeff Newton) (OAD: 10/02/11)

30:00 01/07/2012 7:00PM

On the Record

North Carolina State University athletic director Debbie Yow sits down with David Crabtree and WRAL Sports anchor Jeff Gravley to talk about the state of NC State athletics and the broader issues that have generated discussion among fans and supporters of college athletics.

60:00 01/07/2012 10:00PM

48 HOURS MYSTERY: "Family Affair" - a report on the 2008 murders of Philip Heidt and his son Carey Heidt, the shooting of Philip's wife, Linda Heidt, and the secret extra-marital affair of Carey's wife Robin with his brother Craig Heidt, who has been convicted of the murders of his father and his brother. The Heidt family lived in the small town of Springfield Georgia. Philip Heidt, a real estate developer was married to Linda. They had three sons, Chris, Craig and Carey. Carey became his father's business partner and married Robin. They seemed the perfect Southern family - but Robin Heidt had been having an affair with her brother-in-law Craig Heidt, the self-described black sheep of the family. She even told her husband about the affair. Carey was distraught, but no fool: he removed Robin from his life insurance policy. During one of their trysts, Philip hired a helicopter to track them down because he wanted hard evidence of their affair. Carey and Robin then separated; he went to stay with his parents. Then, on August 25, 2008, the crime occurred. Philip and Carey were fatally shot with a shotgun; Linda Heidt miraculously survived, turning her head at the moment of the shooting. With nothing taken from inside the house - money and jewelry untouched - investigators concluded the motive was murder. Detectives gave Robin the news: she says she immediately confronted Craig, who said he didn't do it. Police immediately zeroed in on Craig. Linda Heidt did not see the shooter, but is adamant that Craig didn't do it - circumstantial evidence said otherwise. Four months after the murders, Craig moved in with Robin and her children was essentially living Carey's life. Nine months later Craig asked Robin to marry him. In May 2009, Craig Heidt was arrested for the murders. His mother and brother stood by him during the trial; Robin did not. He was found guilty. Family members insist he didn't get a fair trial. Epilogue: In November 2011, Robin married Bradley Cave, who had spent a year in mandatory drug rehabilitation. In December 2011, a lawyer for the Heidt children asked a court to remove them from Robin's care and let them live with Linda. The judge gave Linda immediate custody, ordered monies from the Heidt trust to be paid to Linda for care of the children. Robin was also to turn over the children's Social Security payments. She did not and a warrant was issued. She spent two days in jail right before Christmas. On screen text graphic: Craig Heidt is appealing his conviction. Interviewed: family members Robin Heidt, Linda Heidt, Chris Heidt; Michael Muldrew, prosecutor; Dr. James Downs, medical examiner; Jimmie McDuffie, sheriff, Effingham County, Georgia; Eugene Howard, agent in charge, Georgia Bureau of Investigations; Ed Myrick, sheriff's firearms instructor; James Dingledein, police officer; Dow Bonds, Craig Heidt's attorney. (C: Susan Spencer - P: Paul LaRosa, Cassandra Marshall, Michelle Feuer)

30:00 01/08/2012 6:30AM

NC Spin

This week we have a special program for you as we ask our panel to give you their insights on the 2012 elections.

60:00 01/08/2012 8:17PM

60 MINUTES

"Stem Cell Fraud" - a second report (see also "21st Century Snake Oil" OAD: 04/18/10) on the growing internet trade in fake stem cell cures, where medical conmen are offering false hope for currently incurable illnesses. This report focuses on Dan

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Ecklund - an American doctor whose license has been revoked - and his Ecuador-based Stem Tech Labs. Includes interviews with: Dan Ecklund; Gary and Judy Susser, parents of Adam, a cerebral palsy victim; Dr. Joanne Kurtzberg, chief scientific officer of a stem cell research program at Duke University. Also includes an update on "21st Century Snake Oil". (C: Scott Pelley - P: Michael Rey, Oriana Zill)

"Marine Brothers" - a report on five sets of brothers, all Marines, who serve in the same battalion in Afghanistan. Includes interviews with: Lance Cpl. Joshua Beans and Cpl. Daniel Beans; Lance Cpl. Will Hernandez; Gunnery Sgt. Hector Vega; Lt. Col. Todd Zink, commanding officer, Lone Star Battalion; Major Mark Wood, company commander, Lone Star Battalion; Lone Star Battalion. (C: Lara Logan - P: Tom Anderson, Richard Butler)

"The Most Expensive Food in the World" - a report on the harvesting, sale and consumption of truffles, the edible fungi that are, ounce for ounce, the world's most expensive food. Harvests in Italy and France are down, and an influx of cheap Chinese truffles are criticized for being inferior in taste and a threat to the market. Includes interviews with: Olga Urbani, whose company controls seventy percent of the world's truffle trade; Bruno, the French chef and restaurateur; Michel Tournayre, truffle farmer; Pierre Jean Pebyre, French packager of Chinese truffles. (C: Lesley Stahl - P: Ira Rosen)

30:00 01/14/2012 7:00PM

On the Record

WRAL News anchor David Crabtree and Capitol Bureau chief Laura Leslie go "On the Record" with Democratic representative Deborah Ross and Republican representative David Lewis.

30:00 01/15/2012 6:30AM

NC Spin

This week we ask our panel to tell us whether a midnight madness special session of the legislature was hardball politics or bad government. We talk about the economic forecasts for our state for this year, about new laws allowing concealed weapons in our parks and whether a new rating system for judges will improve justice in our state.

60:00 01/15/2012 7PM

60 MINUTES

"Groupon" - an interview with Andrew Mason, the founder and CEO of Groupon, the Internet company whose online subscribers receive daily e-mails with discount coupons from local businesses. Also includes an interview with Andrew Ross Sorkin, financial columnist, *The New York Times*, and CNBC host. (C: Lesley Stahl - P: Shachar Bar-On)

"Qatar" - a profile of the tiny and prosperous Middle Eastern nation of Qatar, a stable country surrounded by the unrest of its Arab neighbors. Qatar's television network, Al Jazeera, is seen as the engine of the various populist uprisings called the Arab Spring. Includes interviews with: Sheikh Hamad bin Khalifa Al Thani, emir of Qatar; Fahad al Attiyah, adviser to the royal family; Sheikh Hamid Bin Jasim, prime minister of Qatar; Faisal al-Qasim, Al Jazeera talk show host. (C: Bob Simon - P: Harry A Radcliffe II)

"Jake" - an interview / profile of Jake Barnett, a thirteen-year-old math and science prodigy, on full scholarship at the joint Indiana University-Purdue campus in Indianapolis. At the age of three, he had been diagnosed with autism, but the more he was exposed to the sciences, the more he began to communicate. Includes interviews with his parents, Kristine and Michael Barnett; Joanne Ruthsatz, psychology professor, Ohio State; Yogesh Joglekar, physics professor, Indiana University / Purdue University. (C: Morley Safer - P: Katy Textor)

30:00 01/21/2012 7:01PM

On the Record

WRAL News anchor David Crabtree and Capital Bureau Chief Laura Leslie sit down with Kim Strach from the N.C. Board of Elections and Damon Circosta from the N.C. Center for Voter Education for this week's On the Record. The election isn't until November, but campaign ads have already begun. Who can dominate the airwaves and why should we care?

60:00 01/21/2012 9:00PM

48 HOURS MYSTERY: "Shelley's Last Breath" (9:00-10:00p) - an investigation into the 1999 scuba diving death of Shelley Tyre while on vacation on the Caribbean isle of Tortola. Police questioned her husband and dive partner David Swain about every detail of the dive; autopsy results were inconclusive. Shelley, a school principal who, in the early 1990s, had met and married David Swain, a divorced father of two, who ran a dive shop, was an adventurous woman who couldn't care less about money.

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Her parents insisted on a pre-nuptial agreement and David Swain agreed he would receive no money if they divorced. With her death, he collected more than \$600,000 from her estate. What her parents could not understand was Swain's lack of emotion regarding Shelley's death. He explained that he didn't know had happened to Shelley during the dive. Although divers are supposed to swim in pairs, she was diving alone – he had gone elsewhere in the water. One year after her death, her parents hired an attorney and sent him and his team of experts to Tortola to investigate. After several months, they uncovered evidence which they believed proved David Swain was lying. 48 HOURS hired an underwater forensic expert to examine the evidence; he also concluded that it was much more than a diving accident. Her parents believed that Shelley's decision to change jobs and take a substantial pay cut may have been the motive for murder. In 2006, they sued David Swain in civil court for wrongful death and won. Armed with this, the Tyres persuaded the authorities in Tortola to re-open the case: island prosecutors charged Swain with the murder of his wife. Ten years after Shelley's death and after two years in a Tortola prison, the trial began. Certain information about David Swain became public during the trial – his father had been convicted of sexual abuse and sent to prison. His mother was bludgeoned to death by his brother, Richard. This information, along with testimony from his children and ex-wife was used to explain his behavior. In the end, David Swain was found guilty of murder and sentenced to life in prison. Update for this 01/21/12 rebroadcast: In September 2011, a three-judge panel overturned David Swain's guilty verdict and he was released from prison. Updated onscreen graphics: In December, David Swain was arrested and charged with drunk driving. If convicted, he could face up to a year in prison. Swain has never paid the Tyree family the 3.5 million in damages from the 2006 wrongful death judgment. With interest, it's now more than 8 million. Interviewed: David Swain; Jen Bloom and Jeremy Swain, David's children; Richard and Lisa Tyre, Shelley's parents; Don Badger, Shelley's co-worker; John Langella, David's friend and fellow scuba instructor; Sandy Wheeler, David's ex-wife; Jeff Morgan, San Bernardino, California Sheriff's Department; Keith Royle, dive boat captain; Bill Oliver, scuba gear designer; Neil Tassel and Tim Bradl, David's defense attorneys; Jim Erickson, former Minneapolis assistant district attorney; Hayden St. Clair Douglas, local counsel working with David's defense team. (C: Troy Roberts - P: Jay Young, Patti Aronofsky, Sarah Prior) (OAD: 05/08/10; 1st Rebroadcast: 03/05/11)

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48 HOURS MYSTERY: "Showdown in the Bedroom" (10:00-11:00p) – a follow-up to "Shootout at the Hills" (OAD: 11/27/10), a report on the November 14, 2006 shooting of Danny Hill, by his wife, Charlene. Charlene claimed that their seemingly happy life together was a facade and that she shot him in self-defense. Charlene's years of suffering physical abuse from Danny was well documented by police reports and hospital visits. Their children even admitted that their father, Danny, was abusive, but that he had mellowed after he and their mother had survived a near-fatal motorcycle accident in August 2003 and that their mother had often instigated the arguments, leaving Danny with no choice but to react the way he did. At the trial, prosecutors questioned Charlene's claim of self-defense and claimed that the multi-million dollar estate was the motive. The jury deliberated for two days, before the judge declared a mistrial. Prosecutors decided to try her for a second time. In January 2011, the second trial began. Prosecutors decided the focus would be on science and not sentiment. They presented a case based on forensics and had crime scene investigators and medical examiners testify. Charlene Hill again testified about why she believed her life was in jeopardy. The jurors even took a field trip to Charlene and Danny's bedroom. When deliberations began, it seemed to be another mistrial. The judge encouraged attorneys to broker a plea deal. They came to an agreement: no prison time but Charlene must admit that she murdered her husband. Charlene initially resisted, but agreed to the deal. When she was about to sign the agreement, the jury announced they had reached a verdict. Without reading the verdict, the judge made a decision – he let both sides seal the deal. After the plea, it was found out that the verdict was guilty, and Charlene would have been sentenced to jail. The jurors were satisfied – they believed that Charlene was guilty, but had suffered enough. Today, Charlene is trying to build a new life; however, her son Jeremy wants nothing to do with her, but her daughter Jamie has decided to forgive her after a bitter estrangement. On screen text graphic: Charlene Hill is on probation for 10 years. She's required to speak before battered women's groups, but she's forbidden from ever saying that she shot Danny in self-defense. Interviewed: Charlene Hill; her children, Jamie and Jeremy Hill; friends of Charlene's, Jennifer Hinch and Susan Watts; Charlene's defense attorneys, George Parnham and Dee McWilliams; Silvia Less-Sie, juror in the original trial who thought Charlene was innocent; original trial Bailiff Mary Charles; Judge James Shoemaker; Jose Trevino, Fort Bend, Texas Sheriff's Deputy; second trial prosecutors Jill Stotts and Chad Bridges; investigators Lester Phipps and Jeremy Goodrich; Dr. Sara Doyle, Medical Examiner; Dr. Stephen Pustilnik, Galveston County (TX) Medical Examiner. (C: Richard Schlesinger - P: Clare Friedland, Jenna Jackson)

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This week we ask our panel to talk about funding education through a sales tax or tuition increases, we'll discuss sticker shock in healthcare cost increases and whether or not a panel's recommendation should be approved eugenics victims.

60:00 01/22/2012 7PM

60 MINUTES PRESENTS: "Into The Wild"

"The Great Migration" - a report on the wildebeest migration across the volcanic plain of the Masai Mara in Kenya and the dangers that confront them. These include predators and the low water level in the Mara River, caused by the destruction of the Mau Forest for human agricultural needs and the burning of the trees for charcoal. Interviewed: Robin Reid, scientist, Colorado State University; John Sena, resident of the Mau Forest; Dickson Kaelo, who works for a non-profit foundation that's paying the Masai to turn over management of their land to a wildlife conservancy. (C: Scott Pelley - P: Henry Schuster, Rebecca Peterson) (OAD: 10/04/09 on 60 MINUTES)

"The Secret Language of Elephants" - a report on efforts to decipher the meaning of sounds made by elephants, with the ultimate intention of compiling an elephant language dictionary. Includes an interview with Andrea Turkalo, an American scientist studying forest elephants in Central Africa; Peter Wrege, behavioral biologist, Cornell University; Katy Payne, founder, Elephant Listening Project. (C: Bob Simon - P: Harry A. Radcliffe II) (OAD: 01/03/10 on 60 MINUTES)

"Jane Goodall" - a profile of chimpanzee advocate Jane Goodall on the occasion of her return to the forests of Tanzania, where she began her love affair with chimpanzees fifty years ago. Her mission now is to raise awareness that chimpanzees are an endangered species. Also includes comments by filmmaker Bill Wallauer of the Jane Goodall Institute. (C: Lara Logan - P: Max McClellan) (OAD: 10/24/10 on 60 MINUTES)

30:00 01/28/2012 7:00PM

On the Record

David Crabtree and WRAL Capitol Bureau Chief Laura Leslie go "On the Record" with William Peace University professor David McLennan and political consultant Brad Crone about Gov. Bev Perdue's decision not to seek re-election in the fall.

60:00 01/28/2012 10:00PM

48 HOURS MYSTERY: "A Fatal Attraction" - Joanne Witt, a 47-year old engineer in El Dorado Hills, California was stabbed to death while she was sleeping on Thursday, June 11, 2009. One month prior to her death Joanne found her 14-year old daughter Tylar Witt in a compromising situation with 19-year old Stephen Colver. Joanne was a single mother and along the way had lost control of Tylar, but exposing her daughter's relationship with Stephen would prove to be their last fight. Joanne tried to stop the relationship once she was aware of it, but the couple denied any wrongdoing. When Joanne discovered Tylar's diary detailing the sexual encounters between the couple, she went straight to authorities, and an investigation was opened. Prosecutor Lissette Suder, in conjunction with Stephen's defense attorney Dain Weiner and Tylar's lawyer Mark Ralphs, outlined the unfolding sequence of events. Tylar and Stephen were afraid of statutory rape charges and after Joanne was dead they decided to rent a hotel room for the night in San Francisco. Stephen and Tylar wrote suicide notes, and ate rat poison hoping to die together. When the rat poison didn't work they were on the run until local police officers turned them in. Tylar ended up turning on Stephen once prosecutors got involved and at his trial, she testified against him. In the end Stephen was sentenced to life in prison without parole, and Tylar pleaded guilty to 2nd degree murder, receiving 15 years to life. On screen text graphic: Tylar Witt is not eligible for parole until 2024; she will be 29 years old. Interviewed: prosecutor Lissette Suder; Stephen Colver's lawyer, Dain Weiner; Mark Ralphs, Tylar Witt's attorney; Joanne Witt's parents, Norb and Judi Witt; Joanne Witt's friends, Roxanna Jurgett and Vinnie Catapano; Stephen Colver's mother, Jan Colver. (C: Richard Schlesinger - P: Ira Sutow, Sue McHugh, Avi Cohen)

30:00 01/29/2012 6:30AM

NC Spin

This week we will ask our panel to talk about the proposal to put tolls on I-95. We will also discuss a ruling that the May 8th primaries should be held as scheduled, talk about the impact of the marriage amendment on the primary ballot and examine a study on early childhood education.

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"Defense Secretary Panetta" - an interview / profile of Secretary of Defense Leon Panetta. Among the topics of discussion are the potential response of the United States should Iran develop a nuclear weapon; and the elimination of Osama bin Laden when Panetta was head of the CIA, including his personal suspicion that someone in the Pakistani government knew of bin Laden's presence there. (C: Scott Pelley - P: Henry Schuster)

"The Commissioner" - an interview with National Football League Commissioner Roger Goodell, who discusses the responsibilities and challenges he faces in presiding over the NFL, the most successful entertainment business in America, with an annual revenue of \$10 billion. Includes comments by Steve Bisciotti, owner of the Baltimore Ravens; Robert Kraft, owner of the New England Patriots; DeMaurice Smith, NFL Players Association; Carl Johnson, NFL vice president of officiating; Ray Anderson, NFL head of operations. (C: Steve Kroft - P: Draggan Mihailovich, L. Franklin Devine)

"Big Game Hunting" - a report on Texas ranchers who breed exotic big game African animals, some of which are either endangered or extinct in the wild. The ranchers allow the animals to roam free on their large ranches, and charge hunters substantial fees to hunt them for sport. The ranchers claim they are preserving these species; animal rights people strongly disagree. Includes interviews with: Charly Seale, Texas rancher and executive director of the Exotic Wildlife Association; Priscilla Feral, president, Friends of Animals; David Bamberger, Texas rancher; Pat Condy, conservationist. (C: Lara Logan - P: Max McClellan)

30:00 02/04/2012 7:00PM

On the Record

A Raleigh businessman who donates a lot of money to political candidates and causes is criticized by some, praised by others. David Crabtree goes "On the Record" with Art Pope.

60:00 02/04/2012 10:00PM

48 HOURS MYSTERY: "Dark Side of Paradise" - A report about Don North, a free spirit who took to the waters of the Caribbean, living amongst the tight-knit "cruiser community", a group of individuals who choose to live their lives on the water. His disappearance and presumed death, near the San Blas Islands, off the coast of Panama, led authorities to the discovery of a potential serial killer in the Caribbean, when they recovered the body of murdered sailor, Jean Pierre Bouahard. Don's nephew Ezra North, with the help of Don Winner, a private detective, discovered that Javier Martin, a fellow sailor, had lost his boat and subsequently, the business that went along with it, during recent storms and had turned to murder in an effort to re-establish his business. On Screen Text Graphics: Javier Martin faces up to 70 years in prison if convicted of the murders of Don North and Jean Pierre Bouahard. Ezra North says Don's boat, the Windancer, is being repaired and will soon be ready to sail again. Includes interviews with: Garrett Paul and Jessica Stout, Amazing Race Contestants; Luis, Cruiser; Don Winner, former Intelligence Officer with the U.S. Air Force; Glenn and Eddie Tuttle; Captain Jack Von Ohlen; Captain Jack; Dennis Morris; Becky Reynolds, Don's former girlfriend of five years; Ezra North, Don's nephew; Scott Walters, Sonar Expert. (C: Peter Van Sant - P: Chris O'Connell)

30:00 02/05/2012 6:30AM

NC Spin

This week we discuss why it will be one and done for Governor Bev Perdue along with who is and isn't likely to get into the race. We will also discuss how North Carolina sets insurance rates, whether we need better lobbyist registration laws and a drop in unemployment rates.

60:00 02/05/2012 8PM

60 MINUTES PRESENTS: "Three Remarkable Women"

"Dolly" - an interview with country music superstar Dolly Parton, who talks about her childhood, her career and the Broadway production of her film, "9 to 5". (C: Morley Safer - P: David Browning, Diane Beasley) (OAD: 04/05/09 on 60 MINUTES)

"Vogue, Anna Wintour" - an interview with Vogue Editor Anna Wintour. Also interviewed: Andre Leon Talley, Vogue Editor-At-Large; Grace Coddington, Vogue Creative Director; Designers Karl Lagerfeld, Nicholas Ghesquire, John Galliano; Bernard Arnault, owner of Dior and chairman of LVMH, the largest luxury conglomerate in the world. (C: Morley Safer - P: Ruth Streeter) (OAD: 05/17/09 on 60 MINUTES)

"The Many Meryls" - an interview / profile of actress Meryl Streep, including excerpts of her latest film, "The Iron Lady", about former British prime minister Margaret Thatcher. (C: Morley Safer - P: David Browning) (OAD: 12/18/11 on 60 MINUTES)

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60:00 02/08/2012 8PM
 CBS NEWS SPECIAL: Person To Person – a CBS News special presentation providing viewers with the opportunity to enter the private homes of actor George Clooney; musician Jon Bon Jovi; and the office of businessman Warren Buffett – some of the 21st century's most admired people. (1) George Clooney, actor and humanitarian, gives co-hosts Lara Logan and Charlie Rose a tour of his Los Angeles, California home; (2) billionaire businessman Warren Buffett invites viewers into his Omaha, Nebraska office; and (3) musician Jon Bon Jovi takes the audience on a tour of his home on the Navesink River in New Jersey, including his private recording studio. (Hosts: Lara Logan, Charlie Rose. Executive Producers: Susan Zirinsky, Judy Tygard. Director: Rob Klug. Supervising Producer: Mead Stone)

30:00 02/11/2012 7:00PM
 On the Record
 WRAL News Anchor David Crabtree and Capitol Bureau Chief Laura Leslie go "On the Record" with Dr. Patrick L. Wooden Sr., pastor at Upper Room Church of God, and Amy Laura Hall, professor at Duke University's Divinity School, about the proposed marriage amendment on the May ballot.

60:00 02/11/2012 10:00PM
 48 HOURS MYSTERY: "Screenplay for Murder" – a report on Canadian filmmaker Mark Twitchell, whose obsession with the *Showtime* television series "Dexter" turned to reality and led to murder. His film, "House of Cards", was about a male serial killer who created a fake online profile as a woman, lured men from a dating website to his garage – and then killed them. Police became interested in Twitchell when they were investigating a missing persons case, 38-year-old computer enthusiast John Altinger, and were led to the garage where he had just wrapped shooting his movie. A Facebook page where he compared himself to the serial killer "Dexter" and the discovery of a secret journal, which was essentially a blueprint for murder, allowed Edmonton police to eventually link Twitchell to the 2008 murder of Altinger and to the attempted murder of 33-year old Gilles Tetreault – both of whom had answered an online dating ad. On Screen Text Graphics: The Crown has decided not to charge Mark Twitchell with the attempted murder of Gilles Tetreault at this time. Ironically, an independent film about this case is currently in production. Includes interviews with: Gilles Tetreault, victim; Bill Clark, Edmonton Police homicide detective; Jess, Twitchell's ex-wife; Marisa Girhiny and Trevor Hossinger, who witnessed Gilles under attack; Gary Altinger, John's older brother; Jimmy Siokos, actor and screenwriter; Chris Heward, actor in "House of Cards"; Renee Waring, Twitchell's Facebook friend; Detective Mark Anstey; Avril Inglis and Lawrence Van Dyke, Edmonton Crown prosecutors. (C: Troy Roberts – P: Lourdes Aguiar, Anthony Venditti)

30:00 02/12/2012 6:30AM
 NC Spin
 This week we have an interesting show beginning with a discussion over whether we are dismantling public education or just giving parents more choices. We will talk about the changing political landscape and why politicians can't admit they made a mistake. And we will discuss whether an appeals court ruling overturning gay marriage will impact North Carolina's elections.

60:00 02/12/2012 7PM
 60 MINUTES
 "Deception At Duke" – a report on Doctor Anil Potti, a Duke University oncologist whose collaborator says that he manipulated the data in his study of a breakthrough cancer therapy. Includes interviews with: Dr. Rob Califf, vice chancellor of clinical research, Duke University; Walter Jacobs, widow of lung cancer patient Juliet Jacobs; Dr. Joseph Nevins, cancer researcher, Duke University, and colleague of Dr. Potti; Keith Baggerly and Kevin Coombes, medical data analysts, MD Anderson Cancer Center. (C: Scott Pelley – P: Kyra Darnton)
 "India's Gold" – a report on the high value placed on the ownership of gold in India. Includes interview with: Divya Chauhan and Vithika Agarwal, wedding planners; Ajay Mitra, World Gold Council; Gargi Shah, precious metals analyst; Ishu Datwani, gold retailer. (C: Byron Pitts – P: David Schneider)
 "The Year of Adele" – an interview / profile of the British popular singer Adele Adkins, known as Adele, who is up for six Grammy Awards. She discusses her success and her recent vocal cord surgery. (C: Anderson Cooper – P: John Hamlin)
 Update: "Insiders" (OAD: 11/13/11)

30:00 02/18/2012 7:00PM

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On the Record

Charter schools: What are they? Why do we have them? Who benefits and who doesn't? Do they discriminate? WRAL News anchor David Crabtree goes "On the Record" with Joel Medley, director of charter schools for the North Carolina Department of Public Instruction, about the state's definition of charter schools and a controversial charter school proposal in Research Triangle Park.

60:00 02/18/2012 10:00PM
48 HOURS MYSTERY: "Soccer Moms Confidential" - a report on the investigation of ex-cop turned private eye Chris Butler who staffed his San Francisco Bay area firm with local soccer moms to solve cases. Butler and his firm of private investigator moms became media sensations -- Lifetime Television started a reality show based on the P.I. Moms. Reporter Pete Crooks was invited to write about the real-life "Charlie's Angels", but the story took a strange turn when he learned from a confidential informant that most of the cases were staged, crooked cops were involved, and that Butler was dealing drugs with top California narcotics cop Norm Wielsch. Butler and Wielsch were also running a massage parlor which was allegedly a front for prostitution. On Screen Text Graphics: A trial date has not been set. If convicted, Chris Butler and Norm Wielsch could face up to life in prison on several of the charges. Includes interviews with: Norm Wielsch; Pete Crooks, Senior Editor of *Diablo*, a pop culture magazine and a CBS News Consultant; Carl Marino, Director of Operations for the agency; Ryan Romano, decoy at the agency; Dr. Phil McGraw, TV Host; Michael Cardoza, Wielsch's attorney; Ami Wiltz, P.I. Mom; Denise Antoon, P.I. Mom; Charmagne Peters, P.I. Mom. (C: Maureen Maher - P: Chuck Stevenson, Peter Shaw, Greg Fisher)

30:00 02/19/2012 6:30AM
NC Spin
This week we ask our panel to give their spin on the tuition increase approved by the UNC Board of Governors, 9 billion dollars in lost revenues to our state, the racial justice act on trial and whether we should have settled for the bank housing settlement.

50:00 02/19/2012 7:21PM
50 MINUTES
"Trapped In Unemployment" - a report on an innovative classroom program in Stamford, Connecticut, called Platform to Employment, created by Joe Carbone, president of The Workplace, Inc. The program assists the long-term unemployed in their efforts to reconnect to the workforce. Includes interviews with: Joe Carbone, president, The Workplace, Inc.; Frank O'Neill, Vernon Downes, and Diane Graham, unemployed job-seekers who participated in the program. (C: Scott Pelley - P: Henry Schuster, Rachael Kun)
"Treating Depression" - a report on the controversy over the claim by Harvard psychologist Irving Kirsch that the difference between the effect of a placebo and the effect of an antidepressant drug is minimal for most people. Also includes interviews with: Dr. Michael Thase, professor of psychiatry, University of Pennsylvania School of Medicine; Dr. Walter Brown, clinical professor of psychiatry, Brown University Medical School; Dr. Tom Laughren, director of the FDA's division of psychiatry products; Dr. Tim Kendall, psychiatrist. (C: Lesley Stahl - P: Richard Bonin)
"The Mozart of Chess" - an interview / profile of Magnus Carlsen, the twenty-one-year-old Norwegian chess Grandmaster who is the number-one player in the world. Also includes comments by: Henrik Carlsen, Magnus' father; Frederic Friedel, owner of ChessBase, a chess database company. (C: Bob Simon - P: Michael H. Gavshon, Drew Magratten)

30:00 02/25/2012 7PM
On the Record
WRAL's David Crabtree and Cullen Browder go "On the Record" with Jean Williams, of the Women's Center of Raleigh, Raleigh City Council member Mary-Ann Baldwin and Stan Hoke of the United Way to discuss Raleigh's invisible homeless population.

60:00 02/25/2012 10:00PM
48 HOURS MYSTERY: "Fatal Episode: The Producer's Story" - a report on former reality show producer Bruce Beresford-Redman, who is accused of murdering his wife Monica Burgos, while on a 2010 vacation with their two children in Cancun, Mexico. Bruce and Monica's marriage was in trouble and the vacation at the Moon palace Hotel was seen as a last attempt to save it. Monica never returned to the hotel after her solo shopping trip. Two days later, Mexican police found her body in a hotel sewer pit. Mexican authorities had Bruce's passport, but he made his way back to California, using his license to re-enter the U.S. via Texas. Seven months later he was arrested for the murder, and was extradited to Mexico to face murder charges.

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He is currently being held in El Cerezo Correctional Facility, awaiting trial. In his only interview from prison, conducted via cell phone, Beresford-Redman talks about his wife Monica and discusses the details of his case. On Screen Text Graphics: Monica Beresford-Redman's sisters will be in a Los Angeles court April 2nd asking a judge to remove Bruce's parents as permanent guardians for the children and appoint them instead. Monica Beresford-Redman was brought back to Los Angeles by her sisters, where she was buried. Includes interviews with: Juanita and David Beresford-Redman, Bruce's parents; Jeane and Carla Burgos, sisters of Monica Burgos; Jaime Cancino, Bruce's attorney in Mexico; Jeff Wald, Producer; Jen Heger, Radar Online reporter; Richard Hirsch, Bruce's Lawyer; Karen and Eric Hamilton, couple who were married at the Moon Palace Hotel; Emily Hamilton, Eric's sister, who was assaulted by a hotel employee at the Moon Palace Hotel; Dave Howard, Emily's step-father; Alison Triessl, attorney representing Monica's sisters. (C: Troy Roberts - P: Ana Real, Ira Sutow, James Stolz, Alec Sirken, Avi Cohen)

30:00 02/26/2012 6:30AM

NC Spin

This week we ask our panel to discuss if we are missing the boat with industrial recruiting, how much obesity is costing us, whether we should continue to operate museums and historic sites and talk about a bizarre study where a peaceable assembly was kicked out of our legislature.

60:00 02/26/2012 7PM

60 MINUTES PRESENTS: "Going To Extremes"

"The Birdmen" - a report on an extreme sport that has killed several of its participants, called birdmen, who wear specially-made wingsuits and jump off mountain tops and glide at speeds of 140 miles per hour. 60 MINUTES talks with some of the sport's top athletes and shows them in action in the Romsdal Valley of Norway. Interviewed: JT Holmes, an American professional skier from Lake Tahoe; Julian Boule, a South African skydiver and aerial photographer; and Tom Erik Heiman, birdman. (C: Steve Kroft - P: Tom Anderson) (OAD: 10/11/09 on 60 MINUTES)

"Alone On The Wall" - an interview / profile of Alex Honnold, a 26-year-old rock climber who practices "free solo" climbing - in which the climber uses only his hands and feet, and no ropes or protection. The 60 MINUTES cameras follow his free solo climb up Sentinel Mountain in Yosemite National Park. Also includes comments by John Long, former expert rock climber. (C: Lara Logan - P: Jeff Newton) (OAD: 10/02/11 on 60 MINUTES)

"The Sharkman" - a profile and interview with Mike Rutzen, a South African who studies the great white shark and, with his cameraman Morne Hardenberg, makes a practice of swimming with them - unprotected by a cage. (C: Anderson Cooper - P: Michael H. Gavshon, Paul Bellinger) (OAD: 03/28/10 on 60 MINUTES)

60:00 03/03/2012 10:00PM

48 HOURS MYSTERY - "The Country Club Murders" - a report on professional poker player Ernie Scherer III, the chief suspect in the 2008 murders of his parents, Charlene and Ernest, in their Castlewood Country Club home in Pleasanton, California. Ernie's motive was financial gain: he was to receive over \$2 million if his parents died. He was facing financial pressure from his gambling debts and the loan he was paying back to his parents for the condo he lived in with his wife and young son. During the course of the investigation, police discovered that Ernie was involved with various other women, and always spent lavishly. At the scene, police discovered an odd clue: bloody footprints intentionally left as part of a staged crime scene. Police questioned Ernie, but with no forensic evidence to tie him to the crime, they were unable to arrest him. Later, when new evidence came to light, Ernie had vanished. After a cross country spree of nearly one year, police, with the help of Ernie's wife, were able to apprehend and arrest him for the murder of his parents. His trial in January 2011, ended in a guilty verdict. On screen text graphic: Ernie Scherer is serving two consecutive life sentences. Catherine Scherer has set up a scholarship in her mother's name at Cal State East Bay. Charlene taught there for more than 30 years. Interviewed: Catherine Scherer, daughter of Charlene and Ernie; Robyn Scherer, Ernie Scherer III's wife; Scott Dudek and Mike Norton, Alameda County Sheriff's Department Detectives; Michael Nieto, Prosecutor; Adrian Solomon, girlfriend of Ernie's; Pamela Nichols, another girlfriend; Robert Brentlinger, owner, Master at Arms casino; Billy Krauss, piano player and friend of Ernie's. C: Peter Van Sant - P: Sara Rodriguez)

30:00 03/04/2012 6:30AM

NC Spin

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this week we want to talk about candidate filings and hope to be able to talk about the latest pre-kindergarten battles and ask whose house is it anyway.

60:00 03/04/2012 7PM
60 MINUTES

"Stuxnet" - a report on Stuxnet, the computer virus that sabotaged the Iranian nuclear program. It could be repackaged by terrorists for a cyber-attack against the U.S. infrastructure or other targets. Includes interviews with: Retired General Michael Hayden, former head of the National Security Agency and former Director of the CIA; Liam O Murchu, operations manager for Symantec, a computer virus security company; Ralph Langner, German expert on industrial control systems; Sean McGurk, former head of cyber defense at the Department of Homeland Security. (C: Steve Kroft - P: Graham Messick)

"The Archbishop of Dublin" - an interview with Diarmuid Martin, the Archbishop of Dublin, about the impact that the child sex abuse crisis and cover-up in the Roman Catholic Church in Ireland has had on the Irish Church and people. Also includes: comments by Monica Polly and Paddy Sheehan, residents of the Irish village of Allihies; Patsy McGarry, religious affairs correspondent for *The Irish Times*; Father Shane Crombie, Irish priest; and a taped excerpt of Irish Prime Minister Enda Kenny addressing the Irish parliament. (C: Bob Simon - P: Tom Anderson)

"Redshirting" - a report on the rising incidence of "redshirting" -- the practice, by parents, of holding back children with late birthdays from enrolling in kindergarten or first grade so that, the following year, they can be the oldest instead of the youngest in their class. Includes interviews with: Megan Hoffercker, mother of Barrett; Holly Korbey, mother of Holden; Heather Wasilew, mother of Jacob; Malcolm Gladwell, author, "Outliers"; Elizabeth Dhuey, economist, University of Toronto; Samuel Meisels, president, Erikson Institute, Chicago. (C: Morley Safer - P: Deirdre Naphin Curran)

60:00 03/10/2012 10:15PM

48 HOURS MYSTERY - "The Boy Next Door" - an updated report on the hunt for a serial killer suspected of murdering three young women from Los Angeles, California to Chicago, Illinois. In 2001, Los Angeles resident Ashley Ellerin was planning to attend a Grammy party with actor Ashton Kutcher. When Kutcher arrived at her home, she never answered the door; it turned out that she had been brutally stabbed to death the night before. Her friends directed the police to Michael Gargiulo, a former boxer and aspiring actor who was working as a repairman -- friends said that he was oddly fixated with her. In the course of the police investigation, the police learned Gargiulo was being investigated for another crime -- the unsolved murder of Tricia Paccaccio, who had lived in Gargiulo's former Glenview, Illinois neighborhood. Due to lack of evidence, he had never been charged, and he left for California. Five years after the Ellerin murder, another woman, Maria Bruno, was found dead just steps away from the apartment where Gargiulo lived. In that case, detectives found a blue cotton boot, with a drop of Maria's blood on the bottom. In 2008, a Santa Monica woman was attacked, but survived. Blood evidence and DNA (which had been filed in the National Database by Cook County Illinois authorities) led investigators to Michael Gargiulo, who was living just across the alley from where the woman was attacked. Police arrested Gargiulo and the investigation led to a connection to all of the cases involving the several young women. Gargiulo insists he is innocent. UPDATE: Since the original broadcast, two witnesses to statements made by Gargiulo that he killed a woman in Chicago have contacted 48 HOURS. They were put in touch with the proper authorities. Shortly thereafter, a Cook County Grand Jury indicted Michael Gargiulo for Tricia Paccaccio's murder. On Screen Text Graphic: Michael Gargiulo is scheduled to stand trial at the end of the year for the murders of Ashley Ellerin and Maria Bruno. If convicted, he will face the death penalty. Interviewed: Rick, Diane and Doug Paccaccio, Tricia's father, mother and brother; Karen Jones, friend of Tricia's; Ray Salihovich, Illinois police officer; Justin Peterson, Chris Duran and Jennifer Disisto, friends of Ashley Ellerin; Tom Small, Los Angeles Police Department homicide detective; Temple Brown, Los Angeles filmmaker; Scott Olsen, friend of Michael Gargiulo; Jack Reed and Mark Baldwin, Cook County sheriff's detectives; Mark Lillienfeld, homicide detective with the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department; Richard Lewis, Santa Monica Police Sergeant; Jack Blakey, head of cold case prosecutions for the Cook County state's attorney. (C: Maureen Maher - P: Josh Gelman, Doug Longhini)

30:00 03/11/2012 6:30AM
NC Spin

Much has been said and written about our state supported system for higher education so we decided to spend this show talking with the man who has done more for education in our state than any other. Our special guest this week is William Friday, President emeritus of the UNC System.

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30:00 03/11/2012 12N
 On the Record
 David Crabtree and guests discuss the necessity for pre-kindergarten education and how to determine which students qualify for financial help.

60:00 03/11/2012 7PM
 60 MINUTES
 "The Spymaster Speaks" - an interview with Meir Dagan, former chief of the Mossad, Israel's equivalent of the CIA. He discusses the reasons why he is opposed to Israel making a preemptive strike anytime soon against Iran's nuclear sites. (C: Lesley Stahl - P: Shachar Bar-On)
 "Teacher To The World" - an interview with educator Sal Khan, who uses his website, "Khan Academy," to reach over four million students across the world each month with his video lectures on various school subjects -- online tutorials which feature just his voice and the diagrams he draws. Also includes comments by: Courtney Cadwell, teacher, Egan Junior High School, Los Altos, California; Laurine Forget, student, Egan Junior High School; Alex Hernandez, student, East Side Prep, East Palo Alto, California; Shantanu Sinha, Chief Operating Officer, Khan Academy; Eric Schmidt, chairman, Google. (C: Dr. Sanjay Gupta - P: Denise Schrier Cetta)
 "Aerosmith" - a profile of the rock band Aerosmith, which has been able to stay together for forty years, in spite of age, drug problems and changing musical tastes. Includes interviews with band members Steven Tyler, singer; Joe Perry, lead guitarist; Tom Hamilton, bass guitarist; Brad Whitford, rhythm guitarist; Joey Kramer, drummer. (C: Lara Logan - P: John Hamlin)

60:00 03/17/2012 10:20PM
 48 HOURS MYSTERY: "Grave Injustice" - an updated report on the case of Anthony Graves, who spent eighteen years -- twelve of them on death row -- in a Texas prison for murders he did not commit. In 1992, the Davis family, four of them young children, were found bludgeoned, shot and stabbed to death, in the charred remains of the family home in Somerville, Texas. Texas Rangers quickly zeroed in on Robert Carter: father of the youngest victim, 4-year-old Jason, he was recently served with papers for child support and Rangers believed he wanted his boy dead. Carter eventually admitted that he was at the crime scene, but said that another man, Anthony Graves, committed the murders. There was little to connect Graves to Carter or to the Davis family, but justice was swift, and Anthony Graves was convicted of six counts of capital murder and sentenced to death. He always proclaimed his innocence. Carter was also convicted. In 2000, while in the death chamber, Robert Carter took sole responsibility for the murders. In fact, he had been saying much the same for years. Then in 2002, the case caught the eye of Professor Nicole Casarez and her journalism students. After a four-year investigation, the students concluded that Anthony Graves was an innocent man. *Texas Monthly* editor Pam Colloff, who herself spent months investigating the case, reached the same conclusion. The students turned their findings over to Graves' attorneys, helping to trigger a chain of legal maneuvers that, in 2010, freed him from prison. UPDATE: Anthony Graves should have been paid \$1.4 million for wrongful incarceration upon his release. Due to a paperwork error, his release documents never used the words "actual innocence" so the State of Texas refused to pay. After nine months of public pressure, the legislature passed, and the governor quickly signed a special measure awarding him the money. Graves credited 48 HOURS for drawing attention to what he was owed. On Screen Text Graphic: Graves speaks all over the country raising money for legal assistance for people on death row. Includes interviews with Anthony Graves; Nicole Casarez, professor, University of St. Thomas, Houston; Pam Colloff, *Texas Monthly* editor; Charles Sebesta (District Attorney); Kelly Siegler (District Attorney); Meghan Bingham (student); Arthur Curry (Graves' brother); Katherine Scardino (attorney); Jimmy Phillips (attorney); Roy Rueter (Graves' friend); Otto Hanak (investigator). (C: Richard Schlesinger - P: Lourdes Aguiar, Jenna Jackson)

30:00 03/18/2012 6:30AM
 NC Spin
 This week we ask our panel to discuss the court ruling on video sweepstakes games, the governor's move to put a moratorium on new ferry tolls, the same-sex marriage amendment and whose house is it anyway.

60:00 03/18/2012 7:44PM
 60 MINUTES
 "SpaceX" - an interview with Internet billionaire Elon Musk, who co-founded PayPal and now has invested \$100 million into his company "SpaceX" (Space Exploration Technologies), which is competing for a NASA contract to build America's next manned

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spacecraft. Also includes comments by SpaceX engineers Garrett Reisman (a former NASA astronaut), Kevin Brogan, Steve Davis, and Caroline Conley. (C: Scott Pelley - P: Harry A. Radcliffe II)

"Face Blindness" - a report on a little known condition, called 'face blindness' or 'prosopagnosia', that prevents people from recognizing faces, even those of family members. Includes interviews with individuals who have this condition, including Jacob Hodes; Jo Livingston, a retired teacher; Ben Dubrovsky, a software products designer; Meg Novotny, a doctor; Chuck Close, portrait artist; Oliver Sacks, M.D., physician and author; Colleen Castaldo, who acquired the condition after surgery for a brain tumor; Tim McDonough, 13-year-old Boston child; Also includes comments by: Brad Duchaine, professor, Dartmouth College; Nancy Kanwisher, neuroscientist, MIT; and an interview with Jennifer Jarett, who says she can recognize almost every face she's ever seen -- the polar opposite of face blindness. (C: Lesley Stahl - P: Shari Finkelstein) DOUBLE LENGTH SEGMENT

60:00 03/24/2012 10:34PM

48 HOURS MYSTERY: "Arturo Gatti's Last Fight" - an updated rebroadcast on the mysterious 2009 death of world champion boxer Arturo Gatti. When Gatti was found dead in Brazil, police characterized the death as a homicide and arrested his wife, Amanda Gatti. She was never charged and three weeks later, released when authorities concluded that he had taken his own life. To this day, theories abound, with many who knew him not believing his death could be a suicide. Included in this report is the first television interview by Amanda Gatti about the night her husband died and about her life with the fighter. Brother Joe Gatti talks about his own theory into Arturo's death, and how he believes the death was indeed a suicide. The family, however, does not agree, and thinks Amanda Gatti was after money. They have hired private investigators Paul Ciolino and Joe Moura to investigate. The two believe Brazilian authorities botched the case and that Gatti was murdered and Amanda Gatti killed him. However, their case is not airtight. Amanda Gatti today, is still involved in a court case involving Gatti's assets. UPDATE: In November 2011, the case took a dramatic turn with Amanda getting support from an unexpected source: the coroner in Quebec, Dr. Jean Brochu, who had conducted a second autopsy in 2009, finally issued his report. His conclusion: no evidence of foul play. He also criticized the American private detectives. In December 2011, the estate court ruled that Arturo Gatti's last will was valid and that Amanda gets everything. On Screen Text Graphic: The mother of Gatti's daughter filed a wrongful death suit against Amanda Gatti. But the judge dismissed the suit. And in Brazil, the Police Chief now says he can find no one who can convince him that Amanda Gatti killed her husband. Interviewed are: his widow Amanda Gatti (also identified as Amanda Rodrigues); brother Joe Gatti; friends and supporters: Tom Casino, "Irish" Micky Ward, Tony Rizzo, Gisella Minieara, Mario Costa, John Lynch and Pat Lynch; private investigators Paul Ciolino and Joe Moura; forensics experts Andre Stewart, Dr. Alfred Bowles, Brent Turvey. (C: Erin Moriarty - P: Doug Longhini, Joshua Yager) (OAD: 09/24/11)

30:00 03/25/2012 6:30AM

NC Spin

This week we ask our panel to discuss whether or not North Carolina's primary votes will play a factor in the Republican presidential primary, about the Supreme Court hearing on healthcare reform, revised numbers on our state's unemployment and a change of direction on natural gas fracking.

60:00 03/25/2012 7:19PM

60 MINUTES

"Resurrecting Chrysler" - a report on how Chrysler, the U.S. automobile maker, has experienced a turnaround through a partnership with Fiat, the Italian auto maker, and under the leadership of Sergio Marchionne, the CEO of Fiat and now also the CEO of Chrysler. Includes an interview with: Sergio Marchionne; and comments by Steve Rattner, head of the presidential task force on the auto industry, and Ralph Gilles, head of product design, Chrysler. (C: Steve Kroft - P: L. Franklin Devine, Maria Gavrilovic)

"Evidence of Innocence" - a report on the case of Michael Morton, wrongfully convicted for the murder of his wife in 1986 and then, after having served twenty-five years in prison, exonerated by DNA testing last year. His prosecutor, Williamson County (Texas) District Attorney Ken Anderson, is now being investigated for withholding crucial evidence during the trial -- evidence that would have acquitted Morton. Includes interviews with: Michael Morton; John Raley, Houston (Texas) attorney; Barry Scheck, attorney, The Innocence Project; Eric Nichols, lawyer for Ken Anderson; (C: Lara Logan - P: Andy Court, Anya Bourg)

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"Novak Djokovic" - a profile / interview with Novak Djokovic, the number one tennis player in the world. In his native country of Serbia, he is a hero. Also includes an interviews with Jelena Gencic, Djokovic's first coach. (C: Bob Simon - P: Draggan Mihailovich)

SPECIAL PROGRAMMING

1 HR 10 MINS 01/16/2012 8AM

MLK Prayer Breakfast

WRAL aired live coverage of the 32nd Annual Martin Luther King Triangle Interfaith Prayer Breakfast 8AM -9AM. The keynote speaker was Cynthia Marshall, President of NC AT&T Corporation. The event is a free breakfast for the general public which celebrates the life and legacy of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. This event is sponsored by Capitol Broadcasting Company, parent company of WRAL-TV.

30:00 01/26/2012 7PM

30:00 03/03/2012 7PM

A WRAL Documentary - "Overkill?"

"Overkill?" takes viewers on farms where antibiotics are being used and to the hospitals where doctors are battling an increasing number of antibiotic resistant infections. It explores the debate among farmers, researchers and advocates over the risk of agricultural antibiotic use and looks at the viability of large-scale antibiotic free meat production.

"Overkill" is hosted by WRAL News anchor Debra Morgan.

30:00 01/31/2012 7PM

Tar Heel Traveler Special

Scott Mason profiled a Wake Forest woman whose Chevy Suburban reached a milestone: half a million miles! A man from Kernersville, meanwhile, traveled to every county and incorporated town in North Carolina. We also met a genius mechanic and relived the days of Gremlins and Pacers. There was plenty of adventure, too: zipping across a zip line, jumping out of an airplane, and hiking the Appalachian Trail.

30:00 03/05/2012 7PM

Jason Young Retrial Special

On March 05, Jason Young was found guilty of first-degree murder by a Wake County jury for the beating death of his wife Michelle in a retrial. WRAL aired a live half-hour special at 7PM anchored by Debra Morgan and Gerald Owens, with reports from Tara Lynn and analysis from trial experts.

60:00 03/31/2012 3PM

Vietnam Veterans Homecoming Celebration

The North Carolina Association of Broadcasters presents a "Welcome Home" celebration for Vietnam Veterans. This live event from the infield of the Charlotte Motor Speedway is a festival that includes military salutes, interviews and live entertainment. WRAL-TV also aired 220 public service announcements valued at \$130,000 in-kind to promote the celebration.

SPORTS/SPECIAL PROGRAMMING

60:00 02/08/2012 11PM

Battle of the Blues

WRAL produced extensive post-game coverage of the UNC at Duke men's basketball game in Durham. The expanded 11PM newscast featured multiple live reports from Durham and Chapel Hill.

40:00 03/03/2012 11PM

Battle of the Blues

WRAL carried post-game coverage in an expanded 11PM newscast of the basketball rematch aftermath between Tobacco Road rivals UNC and Duke.

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SPECIALS/INVESTIGATIVE REPORTS

2:30	01/09/2012	6PM
Headstones Investigation Five On Your Side investigates a local tombstone company with a questionable track record.		
2:00	02/03/2012	6PM
Stolen Identity WRAL investigates a woman who stole another woman's online identity. Not illegal, but scary.		
2:45	02/12/2012	6PM
Probationers On Facebook They're wanted for violating their probation, so we went looking for them and found dozens on social media sites.		
2:00	02/12/2012	6PM
Invisible Homeless Follow-up Outpouring of support following our invisible homeless story.		
2:30	02/16/2012	6PM
Who Is Jude Kenan Mohammad Profile of wanted terrorist with local ties. Breaking news that Mohammad may have been killed in CIA drone strike in Pakistan.		
3:00	02/20/2012	6PM
Invisible Homeless VRAL investigates the invisible homeless, those who fall through the cracks.		
2:30	02/21/2012	11PM
Lottery Winners A look at whether where you live better your odds of winning the state's scratch off games.		
2:00	02/22/2012	6PM
High Tech Towing How a towing company is going high tech to fight back criticisms of predatory towing.		
2:30	02/27/2012	6PM
Teacher Fired Teaching assistant fired because she had cancer twice and didn't show up enough for work.		
2:30	02/28/2012	6PM
Social Media Sex Offender Sex offender on Facebook and YouTube. Examines gray area of state's law regarding sex offenders on social media and what applies.		
2:00	03/07/2012	6PM
Invisible Homeless Follow-up Another follow-up to our invisible homeless story. This time, a woman and her brother who live out of their car.		
2:30	03/12/2012	6PM
Sex Crimes Law Family of victim of sex offender can't believe the suspect is getting out.		

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UNC Investigation		
WRAL aired live half-hour special at 7PM on the outcome of the UNC football program investigation by the NCAA. The program, anchored by David Crabtree, Debra Morgan, and Jeff Gravley, was simulcast on WRAL.com and 620 The Buzz.		
2:00	03/13/2012	6PM
Motor Fleet		
Following a two year WRAL investigation into motor fleet, significant changes proposed to better track vehicles to lighten the fleet and save state money.		
2:00	03/15/2012	6PM
Hormone Replacement Company		
Popular alternative medical company under fire from two state agencies for practicing medicine in NC without a license.		
2:00	03/26/2012	6PM
Facebook Probation Surrender		
Woman we profiled in earlier story decides she wants to stop running from the law. We're with her as she turns herself in.		
2:00	03/30/2012	6PM
Synthetic Marijuana Investigation		
Continuing our investigation of fake marijuana sold as potpourri, WRAL Investigates reveals a local lab now in the middle of the controversy for its role in testing the products to make sure they no longer contain FDA banned substances.		